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FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,
THE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, in the Legislative Department, under date the 30th November 1840, is published for general information. Read a second time the Draft of proposed Act dated the 3d June 1839, and published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 8th of the same month, for the protection of moveable and immoveable property against wrongful possession in cases of successions.

Resolution.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council resolves that the following amended Draft on the subject, be republished for general information:

ACT NO. — OR 1840.

Act for the protection of moveable and immoveable property against wrongful possession in cases of successions.

I. Whereas much inconvenience has been experienced, where persons have been possessed of moveable and immoveable property, and the same has been taken upon pretended claims of right by gift or succession; the difficulty of ascertaining the precise nature of the moveable property in such cases, the opportunities for misappropriating such property and also the profits of real property, the delays of a regular suit when vexatiously protracted, and the inability of heirs when out of possession to prosecute their rights, affording strong temptations for the employment of force or fraud in order to obtain possession. And whereas, from the above causes, the circumstance of actual possession, when taken upon a succession, does not afford an indication of rightful title equal to that of a decision by a Judge after hearing all parties in a summary suit, though such summary suit may not be sufficient to prevent a party removed from possession thereby from instituting a regular suit,—and whereas such summary suit, though it will take away many of the temptations which exist for assuming wrongful possession upon a succession will be too tardy a remedy for obviating them all, especially as regards moveable property. And whereas it may be expedient prior to the determination of the summary suit to appoint a Curator to take charge of property upon a succession, where there is reason to apprehend danger of misappropriation, waste or neglect, and where such appointment will, in the opinion of the authority making the same, be beneficial under all the circumstances of the case. And whereas it will be very inconvenient to interpose with successions to estates by the appointment of Curators, or by summary suits unless satisfactory grounds for such proceedings shall appear, and unless such proceedings shall be required by or on the behalf of parties giving satisfactory proof that they are likely to be materially prejudiced if left to the ordinary remedy of a regular suit;

It is hereby enacted, that whenever a person dies leaving property, moveable or immoveable, it shall be

lawful for any person claiming a right by succession thereto, or to any portion thereof, and being out of possession, to make application to the Judge of the Court of the District where any part of the property is found or situate for relief, either after actual possession has been taken by another person, or where opposition is apprehended.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for any agent, relative, or near friend, or for the Court of Wards in cases within their cognizance in the event of any minor disqualified or absent person being entitled by succession to such property as aforesaid, and being out of possession to make the like application for relief.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge to whom such application shall be made shall, in the first place enquire by the solemn declaration of the complainant, and by witnesses and documents at his discretion, whether there be strong reasons for believing that the party in possession is holding possession unlawfully, and that the applicant, or the person on whose behalf he applies is really entitled, and that the application is made bona fide.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that in case the Judge shall be satisfied of the existence of such strong grounds of belief but not otherwise, he shall cite the party in possession and give notice of vacant or disturbed possession by publication, and after the expiration of a reasonable time shall determine summarily the right to possession (subject to regular suit as hereafter mentioned) and shall deliver possession accordingly—provided always that the Judge shall have the power to appoint an officer who shall take an inventory of effects, and seal or otherwise secure the same upon being applied to for the purpose without delay, whether he shall have concluded the enquiry necessary for citing the party in possession or not.

V. And it is hereby enacted, that in case it shall further appear, upon such application and examination as aforesaid, that danger is to be apprehended of the misappropriation or waste of the property before the summary suit can be determined, and that it is likely to be attended with manifest benefit to the party out of possession, provided he be the lawful owner by succession, and that the delay in obtaining security from the party in possession, or the insufficiency thereof is likely to expose the party out of possession to considerable risk, provided he be the lawful owner; it shall be lawful for the Judge to appoint one or more Curators with the powers hereinbefore next mentioned, whose authority shall continue according to the terms of his or their respective appointments, and in no case beyond the determination of the summary suit and the confirmation or delivery of possession in consequence thereof. Provided always that, in the case of land, the Judge may delegate to the Collector or to his officer the powers of a Curator, and also that every appointment of a Curator in respect of any property be duly published.

VI. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge shall have power to authorize such Curator, either to take possession of the property generally, or until security

be given by the party in possession, or until inventories of the property shall have been made, or for any other purpose necessary for securing the property from misappropriation or waste by the party in possession. Provided always, that it shall be entirely discretionary with the Judge, whether he shall allow the party in possession to continue in such possession, on giving security, or not, and any continuance in possession shall be subject to such orders as the Judge may issue touching inventories, or the securing of deeds or other effects.

VII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge shall exact from the Curator security for the faithful discharge of his trust, and for rendering satisfactory accounts of the same as hereinafter mentioned, and may authorize him to receive out of the property such remuneration as shall appear reasonable, but in no case exceeding 5 per centum on the personal property and on the annual profits of the real property, all surplus monies realized by the Curator shall be paid into Court, and invested in public Securities for the benefit of the persons entitled thereto upon adjudication of the summary suit. Provided always, that although security shall be required from the Curator with all reasonable despatch, and, where it is practicable, shall be taken generally to answer all cases for which the person may be afterwards appointed Curator, yet no delay in the taking of security shall prevent the Judge from immediately investing the Curator with the powers of his office.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that in all matters regarding the propriety of citing the party in possession, of appointing a Curator, and of nominating individuals to that appointment, the Judge shall demand a report from the Collector, and the Collector is hereby required to furnish the same. In cases of urgency the Judge may proceed, in the first instance, without such report and he shall not be obliged to act in conformity thereto, but, in case of his acting otherwise than according to such report, he shall immediately forward a statement of his reasons to the Court of Sudder Dewany Adawlut, and the Court of Sudder Dewany Adawlut if they shall be dissatisfied with such reasons shall direct the Judge to proceed conformably to the report of the Collector.

IX. And it is hereby enacted, that the Curator shall be subject to all orders of the Judge regarding the institution or the defence of suits, and that all suits may be instituted or defended in the name of the Curator on behalf of the estate, provided that suits concerning the estate which would be triable before the Judge appointing the Curator shall be triable in the Zillah or City Court nearest to that of such Judge.

X. And it is hereby enacted, that pending the custody of the property by the Curator, it shall be lawful for the Judge to make such allowances as upon a summary investigation of the rights and circumstances of the parties interested, he shall consider that necessity may require, taking, at his discretion, security for the repayment thereof with interest, in case the party shall, upon the adjudication of the summary suit, appear not to be entitled thereto.

XI. And it is hereby enacted, that the Curator shall file monthly accounts in abstract, and at the period of every three months, if his administration last so long, and upon giving up the possession of the property file a detailed account of his administration to the satisfaction of the Judge.

XII. And it is hereby enacted, that after the Judge of any district shall have appointed any Curator, such appointment shall preclude the Judge of any other district within the same Presidency from appointing any other Curator, provided the first appointment be in respect of the whole of the property of the deceased. But if the appointment be only in respect of a portion of the property of the deceased, this shall not preclude the appointment within the same Presidency of another Curator in respect of the residue or any portion thereof; provided always that no Judge shall appoint a Curator or entitle a summary suit in respect of property which is the subject of a summary suit previously instituted under this Act before another Judge—and provided further, that if two or more Curators be appointed by different Judges for several parts of an estate, it shall be lawful for the Sudder Dewany Adawlut to make such order as it shall think fit for the appointment of one Curator of the whole property.

XIII. And it is hereby provided, that this Act shall not be put in force, unless the aforesaid application to the Judge be made within six months of the death of the proprietor, whose property is claimed by right of succession.

XIV. And it is hereby enacted, that this Act shall not be put in force to contravene any act of settlement, or in cases in which the deceased proprietor shall have given legal directions for the possession of his property after his decease in the event of minority or otherwise in opposition to such directions, but in every such case so long as the Judge having jurisdiction over the property of a deceased person, shall be satisfied of the existence of such directions he shall give effect thereto, appointing the person indicated thereby to be Curator under this Act if so desired.

XV. And it is hereby provided, that this Act shall not be put in force, for the purpose of disturbing the possession of the Court of Wards of any Presidency; and in case a minor, or other disqualified person whose property shall be subject to the Court of Wards, shall be the party on whose behalf application is made under this Act, the Judge if he determines to cite the party in possession and also to appoint a Curator, shall invest the Court of Wards with the Curatorship of the estate pending the suit without taking such security as aforesaid, and in case the minor or other disqualified person shall, upon the adjudication of the summary suit appear to be entitled to the property, possession shall be delivered to the Court of Wards.

XVI. And it is hereby provided, that nothing in this Act contained shall be any impediment to the bringing of a regular suit either by the party whose application may have been rejected, before or after citing the party in possession, or by the party who may have been evicted from the possession under this Act.

XVII. And it is hereby enacted, that the decision of the Judge upon the summary suit under this Act shall have no other effect than, that of settling the actual possession; but that for this purpose it shall be final, not subject to any appeal or order for review.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 1st day of March next

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to Govt. of India,

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,
TUE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, in the Legislative Department, under date the 30th November 1840, is published for general information.

Read a second time the Draft of a proposed Act dated the 3d June 1839, and published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 8th of the same month, for facilitating the collection of debts on successions, and for the security of parties in paying debts to the representatives of deceased persons.

Resolution—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council resolves that the following amended Draft on the subject, be re-published for general information:

Act No. —— or 1840.

Act for facilitating the collection of debts on successions, and for the security of parties paying debts to the representatives of deceased persons

I. Whereas the use of Probates and Letters of Administration in regard to the property of deceased British subjects and other persons subject to the Supreme Courts, in their Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, has been found very expedient, as well for enforcing the rights of persons entitled to such property by succession, as also for the security of all persons having transactions with them. And whereas the occasional use of Probates and Letters of Administration in respect of the property of deceased Natives of India, though voluntarily adopted by their representatives for the sake of the advantages arising therefrom, has been attended with much expence and inconvenience, besides creating much legal doubt as to the effect of the authority conferred. And whereas it is expedient to give an express legislative sanction to Probates and Letters granted by the Supreme Courts in respect of the property of deceased Natives, and to authorize Instruments having the like effect with Probates and Letters of Administration being granted by the Mofussil Courts but, in either

case, for the purpose of recovering debts only, and the security of debtors paying the same;—

No debt recoverable without a certificate.
It is hereby enacted, that no debtor of any deceased person shall be compelled in any Court of Law to pay his debt to any person claiming to be entitled to the effects of any deceased person or any part thereof, except on the production of a certificate to be obtained in manner hereinafter mentioned, unless the Court shall be of opinion that payment of the debt is withheld from fraudulent or vexatious motives, and not from any reasonable doubt as to the party entitled.

Manner of obtaining certificate.
II. And it is hereby enacted, that the Zillah or District Court within the jurisdiction of which any part of the property of the deceased may be found shall have authority to grant a certificate under this Act. The applicant in his petition shall set forth his title. The Judge shall issue notice of application, inviting claimants, and fixing a day for hearing the petition, and in these matters shall proceed as laid down in the Rules in Sections and of Act No. of 1841. (Vide Draft Act respecting curators.)

Effect of certificate.
III. And it is hereby enacted, that the certificate of the District or Zillah Judge shall be conclusive of the representative title against all debtors to the deceased, and shall afford full indemnity to all debtors paying their debts to the person in whose favor the certificate has been granted.

Security taken from grantees of certificate.
IV. And it is hereby enacted, that the District or Zillah Judge may take such security as he shall think necessary from any person to whom he shall grant a certificate for rendering an account of debts received by him, and for indemnity of persons who may be entitled to the whole or any part of the monies received by virtue of such certificate, whose right to recover the same by regular suit against the holder of the certificate is not affected by this Act.

Decision of Judge how far final.
V. And it is hereby enacted, that the granting of such certificates may be suspended by an appeal to the Court of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut, which Court may declare the party to whom the certificate should be granted, or may direct such proceedings for the investigation of the title as it shall think fit. The Court may also upon petition, after a certificate shall have been granted by the District or Zillah Judge, grant a fresh certificate in supersession of the certificate granted by the District or Zillah Judge, and such fresh certificate shall not affect any payments made to the person to whom any former certificate may have been granted without notice that the same has been superseded.

Local extent of power given by certificate.
VI. And it is hereby enacted, that every certificate shall give authority to the person to whom the same is granted throughout the Presidency within which the same is granted, and no certificate subsequently granted in respect of the same property shall be valid or effectual, except as hereinafter mentioned.

Government Notes and Dividends.
VII. And it is hereby enacted, that a person certified and empowered to receive interest on Government Notes and Dividends on Shares of any Bank or part thereof, and to negotiate such Securities, may be also empowered to receive a share of such interest or dividends or to negotiate a share of such Securities. These powers (which shall only arise by express words in the certificate) may be exercised in regard to Government Notes and Certificates of Shares of any Bank, existing within the local jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of that Presidency, in which is situate the Court by whom those powers are conferred.

Payments under reason of previous certificate.
VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that where a certificate is void by reason of previous issue in which such certificate would be valid, but for the previous grant of a certificate,

all payments made to the person holding the later certificate in ignorance of the grant of the previous certificate shall be held good against claims under such previous certificate.

Certificate after Probate or Letters of Administration.
IX. And it is hereby enacted, with regard to the real property of deceased persons whose personal property may by law pass to their personal representatives without any Probate or Letters of Administration obtained in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice, that no certificate in respect of any such real or personal property shall be valid, if made after a Probate or Letters of Administration granted in respect of the same, provided assets belonging to the deceased were at the time of his death within the jurisdiction of the Court granting the Probate or Letters of Administration.

Bond fide payments protected.
X. And it is hereby provided, that where a certificate shall have been granted in cases in which such certificate would be valid, but for a Probate or Letters of Administration previously granted, all payments made to the person holding the certificate in ignorance of the previous granting of the Probate or Letters of Administration, shall be held good against claims under the Probate or Letters of Administration so previously granted.

Probate or Letters of Administration after previous grant of Certificate.
XI. And it is hereby enacted, that no Probate or Letters of Administration shall be valid for the purpose of the recovery of debts or the security of debtors, after a certificate granted in respect of the same property for which such Probate or Letters of Administration shall have been granted, provided assets belonging to the deceased were at the time of his death within the jurisdiction of the Court making such appointment or granting such certificate.

Bond fide payments protected.
XII. And it is hereby provided, that where Probate or Letters of Administration may have been granted, in cases in which such Probate or Letters of Administration would be valid, but for the previous grant of a certificate, all payments made in ignorance of the previous grant of the certificate shall be held good against claims under such previous certificate.

Effect of Probates and Letters granted to Representatives of Hindus and others.
XIII. And it is hereby declared and enacted, that all Probates and Letters of Administration granted by any of Her Majesty's Courts in cases in which any assets belonging to deceased persons were, at the time of their deaths, within the jurisdiction of the Court granting the Probate or Letters of Administration, shall have the effect of Probate and Letters of Administration granted in respect of the property of persons whose personal property cannot by law pass to his personal representative without a Probate or Letters of Administration, but for the purpose of the recovery of debts only, and the security of debtors paying the same; except so far as is in this Act provided, and except that this Act shall not be construed to make the taking out of Probate or Letters of Administration necessary for succession to property in any case in which it is not now necessary.

Nothing in this Act contained shall be held to extend to the real or personal property of any person whose personal property cannot by law pass to the personal representative without a Probate or Letters obtained in one of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be reconsidered at the first Sitting of the Legislative Council of India after the 1st day of March next.

T. H. MABDOOK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,
THE 28th NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 28th November 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT NO. XXII. or 1840.

An Act for the punishment of Vagrants within the Towns of Calcutta and of Madras, and the Islands of Bombay and Colaba extorting Alms by offensive and disgusting exhibitions and practices.

I. Whereas great inconvenience is experienced in the Towns of Calcutta and of Madras, and in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba from Mendicants who endeavour to extort alms by offensive and disgusting exhibitions and practices:—

It is hereby enacted, that persons within the Town of Calcutta or of Madras or within the Islands of Bombay and Colaba who shall seek to extort alms by offensively exhibiting any bodily ailment or deformity, or by any offensive or indecent practices, or by inflicting, or threatening to inflict, bodily injury on themselves, shall be liable, on conviction before any Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment with or without labor for a term not exceeding one calendar month.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that all persons guilty a second time of any of the above offences, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment with hard labor for a term not exceeding twice the period assigned for the first offence, and for the same term upon any subsequent conviction.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that persons guilty of any of the offences above mentioned who shall violently resist any Peace Officer attempting to apprehend them, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment with or without hard labor for a term not exceeding three calendar months.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor General in Council from time to time, by notice in the Gazette, to extend the provisions of this Act to any towns or districts besides the places specified in this Act.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,

THE 30th NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 30th November, 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT NO. XXIII. or 1840.

An Act for executing within the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts Legal Process issued by authorities in the Mofussil.

I. Whereas great inconvenience has been experienced, in consequence of the difficulty of procuring the attendance as witnesses before the Mofussil Authorities of persons resident within the local limits of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, and, in consequence of justice being often frustrated by reason of persons and property within such limits being exempted from process issued by such Authorities, which has also occasioned inconvenience to the inhabitants within such limits, in suits in the Mofussil Courts to which they are parties:—

It is hereby enacted, that any Writ, Warrant, or other Process issued by any Court, Judge, or Magistrate in the territories beyond the local limits of the Supreme Courts of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay respectively, may be executed within those limits in manner following:—A copy of such Writ, Warrant, or other Process, authenticated as such by the attestation of the Court, Judge, or Magistrate signing or issuing the same, accompanied by a certified translation in the English language, shall be presented to any Judge of Her Majesty's Courts, who may thereupon, under his hand and signature, indorse and direct the same to be executed within the local limits of any of Her Majesty's Courts by the Sheriff, or by any Justice of the Peace according to the nature of such Writ, Warrant, or other Process.

II. And it is hereby provided, that upon the delivery of every such Writ, Warrant or Process so indorsed as aforesaid to any such Sheriff as aforesaid, every such Sheriff shall make a memorandum of the date of such delivery, and shall execute such Writ, Warrant or Process in like manner as if the same had originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts and had been delivered at the

date as appearing by the memorandum; and such Sheriff shall make no distinction as to priority or otherwise between the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts, and the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process under this Act. But every Writ, Warrant and other Process whether original, or indorsed as aforesaid, shall, amongst each other, be subject to the same rules touching the mode and order of execution as are now established in respect of Writs, Warrants, and other Process originally issued from Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that every such Sheriff shall be liable to be proceeded against in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice for all matters touching the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed under this Act, in like manner as if the same had originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice. And all persons and property seized or detained under any Writ, Warrant or Process executed by virtue of this Act shall be dealt with in like manner as if such persons or property had been seized or detained under the like Writ, Warrant or other Process issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that all persons disobeying or obstructing the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process indorsed under this Act, shall be punishable in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice, in like manner as if the same had issued from such Courts: Provided, always that, in the case of process for the attendance of witnesses, Her Majesty's Courts shall be governed by the like rules touching expenses and other matters as are established in regard to Subprocess issued from such Courts.

V. And it is hereby enacted, in the case of persons seized or detained by virtue of any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed under the authority of this Act by any Justice of the Peace or by any Sheriff, it shall be the duty of every such Sheriff or Justice of the Peace if so required by the indorsement of the Judge, to deliver the party in custody to such authority or persons as shall be particularly specified in such indorsement, and who shall have been charged with the execution of the Writ, Warrant or other Process by the authority originally issuing the same, and for that purpose to cause the party in custody to be conveyed to any place within the Company's territories, beyond the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts.

VI. And it is hereby provided, that in the case of any Writ, Warrant or other Process required to be indorsed under the authority of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Judge who shall be required to indorse the same, to remit the same for amendment to the authority issuing the same. If the same shall appear to be defective in any matter of form.

VII. And it is hereby provided, that in the case of any Writ, Warrant or other Process required to be indorsed under the authority of this Act, for the seizure or detention of any person, it shall be lawful for the Judge who shall be required to indorse the same to direct by indorsement that bail (the amount and number of Sureties to be specified in such indorsement) may be taken; and for this purpose to call for such documents and to make such enquiry as he shall think proper.

VIII. And, whereas it is expedient, that offenders sentenced by the Mofussil authorities to imprisonment with or without hard labour, should be subjected to the most improved rules of prison-discipline, which cannot, in all cases, be conveniently done except in the prisons locally situated within the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, it is hereby enacted, that all Civil and Criminal Gaols and Houses of Correction within the jurisdiction of any of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, shall, according to the nature of the case, be liable to be used by the Sheriff for the purposes of this Act, and the parties imprisoned therein under the authority of this Act shall be liable to the prison-discipline thereof, and all instances of imprisonment passed by any Judge, Court or Magistrate in the territories of the East India Company beyond the local limits of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, may be executed in whole or in part within any of the Gaols or Houses of Correction aforesaid, provided that a copy of the Warrant of Commitment or other Process authorising the imprisonment be so indorsed as aforesaid, and such indorsement contain the necessary directions.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28th NOVEMBER, 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the rate at which advances will be made, under authority of the Board of Canons, Salt and Opium, or Cash in Merchandise on Bills of Exchange in favor of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, secured by the consignment of Goods, will, until further order, be 2d. and 2d. the Company's Rupee. In all other respects the Terms

and Conditions of these advances will be the same as advertised under dates the 2d May, 1838, 27th November 1839, and 5th March, 1840.

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G. A. BUSBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 199.

FORT WILLIAM,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 2d DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. Alexander Shakespear, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, a Writer on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival at this Presidency on the 27th ultmo.

SEPARATE DEPARTMENT.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to grant, to Mr. H. S. Land, Opium Agent at Benares, leave of absence, under Medical Certificate, to the 3d of February, 1841, in extension of the leave granted to him under date the 22d January last.

G. A. BUSBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

(No. 1813)

FORT WILLIAM,
JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
THE 1st DECEMBER, 1840.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for public information that Mr. E. H. Repton made over charge of the Benares Treasuries to Mr. F. A. E. Dalrymple on the 29th October, and Mr. J. K. Ewart, of the Treasuries at Pooree, to Mr. E. T. Trevor on the 30th ultmo.

FRED. JAS. HALLIDAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

(No. 1814)

ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

The following Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Stations:

THE 6th OCTOBER, 1840.

Captain J. R. Lamden, Senior Assistant to the Commissioner of Arrakan, at Aeng, for three months, from the 21st instant. Lieutenant Abbott will, during this interval, officiate as Principal Assistant at Aeng and Dr. Clarribatt as Junior Assistant at Akyah, continuing at the same time his services as Medical Officer of that Station.

THE 24th NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. H. R. Beresford, Special Deputy Collector of Purneah and Malda, for one month, preparatory to proceeding to Europe on Furlough.

THE 1st DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon G. N. Chack, of West Bengal, for fifteen days, from the 10th instant, on private affairs. This cancels the leave granted to him under Orders of 27th October last.

The remaining portion of the leave of absence granted on the 27th of March last to Mr. Assistant Surgeon Cumberland of Pooree, has been cancelled from the 28th ultmo.

The leave of absence for one month in excess of the Dusserah Vacation, granted on the 1st September last to Mouliw Mahomed Idris Khan Behadoor, Principal Budder Ameen of Sylhet, is also cancelled.

The Right Honorable the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to make the following Appointment:

THE 2nd DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. W. T. Taylor to officiate as Magistrate of Purneah, until further orders.

FRED. JAS. HALLIDAY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 2d December, 1840.

No. 258 of 1840.—The Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following Promotions:

2d Regiment Light Cavalry.

Cornet James Douglas Moffat to be Lieutenant, from the 2d November 1840, vice Lieutenant George Chas. Crispin killed in action.

Infantry.

Major Michael Remay to be Lieutenant Colonel,

96th Regiment N. I.

Captain and Bt. Major Louis Saunders Bird to be Major,

Lieutenant and Bt. Captain Thomas Mackintosh to be Captain of a Company,

Ensign Arthur Carrington to be Lieutenant,

87th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Wm. Mayne to be Lieutenant, from the 2d November, 1840, vice Lieutenant Wm. Lovelady deceased.

9th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Frederick Galder Minchin to be Captain of a Company,

Ensign William Henry Williams to be Lieutenant,

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon Alexr. Christie to be Surgeon, from the 16th November, 1840, vice Surgeon George Trail Urquhart deceased.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain John Ewart, of the 55th Regiment N. I., has returned to his duty in this Establishment, without prejudice to his rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors—Date of arrival at Fort William, 27th November, 1840. Brevet Captain Ewart arrived at Bombay on the 17th October last.

Major John Gario Dyer, commandant of the 6th Regiment N. I., Superintendent of the Agra and Bombay Road, has leave of absence from the 1st November 1840 to the 31st March 1841, to visit the Presidency, preparatory to applying for permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough.

Captain Edward Madden, of the Regiment of Artillery, has six month's leave of absence, from the 10th November 1840, to visit Bombay, preparatory to applying for permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough.

Captain James Horneburgh McDonald, of the Regiment of Artillery, has leave of absence to visit Bombay, from the 10th December 1840 to the 15th April 1841, on private affairs, preparatory to applying for permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough.

Cornet Aramant Polwhey Cliffe, Bt. 256, of the 4th Regiment N. I., Cavalry, is permitted, at his own request, to resign the Service of the East India Company, subject to the usual conditions.

The leave of absence granted to Surgeon James Taylor, of the Medical Department, in General Orders No. 61, of the 8th April 1840, to proceed to the Madras and the Cape of Good Hope, on Medical Certificate, is extended for a period of six months from the 22d October 1840, to remain at the Cape on the same account.

Veterinary Surgeon Francis Rogers, of the Hpter. Staff, has leave of absence from the 31st October 1840, to the 1st February 1841, to remain at Mysore, on Medical Certificate, subject to the usual conditions.

FORT WILLIAM, 1d December, 1840.

No. 254 of 1840.—With reference to General Orders No. 60, subordinate the 4th ultmo, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to re-appoint the additional Superintendent of Stores, authorized for the Foodstores, p. 225, to commence on Decr.

THE 1st DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. W. T. Taylor to officiate as Magistrate of Purneah, until further orders.

FRED. JAS. HALLIDAY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

within the Presidency Circle of Superintendence, will henceforward be divided into two Circles, under the Superintending Surgeons at Barrackpore and Dacca, respectively, according to the subjoined distribution.

Barrackpore Circle.

Barrackpore, Chittagong, Dum-Dum, Berhampore, Moorshedabad, Buncorla, Krishnagar, Barrhoom, Midnapore, Jessor, Hooghly, Barasat, Howrah, Haldia, Balasore, Cuttack, Poores, Basudeb, Dinsapore, Rungpore, and Maldah.

Dacca Circle.

Jamalpore, Buggenah, Backergunge, Tipperah, Furreispore, Bulloosh, Chittagong, Rubna, Gowalpara, Gowhattee, Telpore, Nowrang, Bishnath, Sesnagurh, Deobnagurh, Syyna, Chirra Poonjee, Cachar, Munipore, Mymensing, Sylhet, and Arakan.

This arrangement will take effect from the date of arrival, at Dacca, of the Superintending Surgeon who may be posted to that Circle by His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

J. STUART, Lt. Col.

Secy. to the Government of India,
Military Department.

FORT WILLIAM, 24 December 1840.

No. 225 of 1840.—The undermentioned Individuals are appointed Assistant Overseers in the Department of Public Works:

Mr. G. Lynch, placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer Lower Provinces, for employment in Upper Assam.

Mr. P. A. Luckstedt, placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer, North Western Provinces, to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Assistant Overseer DuPonté, of the Barricly Division.

Acting Surgeon C. Burke, of the 3d Company 1st Battalion Artillery, placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer, South East Provinces, for employment under Captain Kittoe, Superintendent of the Rangoon Road.

J. STUART, Lt. Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Milt. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 2d December, 1840.

No. 236 of 1840.—Assistant Surgeon R. C. McConochie, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Sylhet, obtained in the Judicial and Revenue Department, leave of absence for two months, from the 15th instant, on private affairs.

The leave of absence for one month, granted on the 19th October last, to Lieutenant Robert Matheson, of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry, Revenue Surveyor, Middlepore, was cancelled in the Judicial and Revenue Department on the 24th ultimo.

The leave of absence granted on the 12th August last to Assistant Surgeon A. T. Vans Dunlop, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Jhansi, was cancelled in the Political Department, North Western Provinces, on the 9th ultimo.

Brevet, Captain J. D. Shakespear, of Artillery, 2d Assistant to the Resident at Lucknow, was appointed in the Political Department, under date the 20th ultimo, to be First Assistant in the room of Captain J. Eaton, relieved.

J. STUART, Lt. Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Milt. Dept.

CUSTOMS.

List of Packages lying unclaimed at this Office.

- 1 Box, W. Spokes, 1st European Regt. 4th Company, per Robert.
- 1 Parrot, Capt. Digby, per Brotham.
- 1 Case, no mark, per Dibud.
- 1 Cigar, marked F 5 26, per Bengal Packet.
- 1 Box, ditto A in diamond, per Water Witch.
- 1 Box, ditto B in diamond, per ditto.
- 1 Parrot, Mr. Swan, Government Clerk, per Bellance.
- 1 Ditto, J. Poste, care of Mr. Baudard, per ditto.
- 1 Diftd. Captain D. MacKenzie, 13th Damerass, per Cawnpore.
- 1 Case, Doctor W. Henderson, per Hockin.
- 1 Parrot, G. H. Dugdale, Bengal Packet, per Brotham.
- 1 Trunk, marked B.B. 210 to 216, per Royal Will-

1 Box, ditto A in diamond 1, per Constellation.

8 Cases, marked C T in diamond, per David Scott.

2 Cases, marked C in diamond, per Forth.

1 Box, ditto L B 5, per Hereford.

1 Diftd. G. W. Barnes, 13th Lt. Infantry, per Elea-

nor.

1 Diftd. Ensign H. J. Guise, 28th Regt. N. I., per Ditto.

2 Ditto, marked SS 7 and 8, per Ditto.

1 Diftd. Finlay Mackenzie, per Maidstone.

1 Case, Mrs. Captain Griffin, care of Lyall and Co., per Ditto.

1 Diftd. John Clarke, care of Colvin and Co., per ditto.

1 Diftd. Mrs. Bruce, Belmaberry Factory, per Ditto.

1 Diftd. S. F. Rice, care of Carr, Tagore, per ditto.

1 Diftd. Major J. L. Earle, 8th Regt., per Ditto.

1 Diftd. A. Griffin, care of Kustomjee Cowasjee, per ditto.

1 Diftd. Lieutenant and Adjutant Lomer, care of Colvin and Co., per ditto.

1 Diftd. Lieut. Thos. G. St. George, per Ditto.

2 Boxes, Capt. J. Cromlin, care of Colvin and Co., per Penydar Park.

1 Case, to the Chief Engineer at Bengal, per Engineer Cadet H. Yule, per Carnatic.

1 Case, C. J. Baddock, Ordnance Department, per ditto.

1 Diftd. Lt. Col. Booth, H. M. 41st Regt. per Eliza.

1 Diftd. Ensign J. M. Swinton, care of Cockerell and Co., per Ditto.

Loose Huds. and Butt Staves, per Adam.

R. WALKER, Coltr. of Customs.

4th December, 1840.

The Collector has no objection to pass Packages, which are intended for private use, and not for Sale, unopened—provided that at the time they are applied for, satisfactory proof of their contents in the shape of Invoices, Bills, or Letters of Advice are produced. In the absence of these documents, owners should depute a person to be present at the opening of their Packages.

The Collector has nothing to do with the landing of Packages from Ships, nor with forwarding them to their owners or destinations.

LIST of Letters remaining at the Calcutta General Post Office, and which accumulated between the 1st of July and 30th of September 1840.

S.

Smith, Esq. Robert—H. M. R. N. B. Fusileers, 21st Regt., Chinsurah, Bengal.

Smith, Esq. Wm.—New Norfolk, V. D. Land.

Smith, Mrs.—New Norfolk, V. D. Land.

Smith, Esq. A. P.—Deputy Collector, Burressul.

Smith, Mrs. Fanny—Raj Ghaut, Benares.

Smyth, Capt. G. M. C.—3d Regt. Light Cavalry, Bengal.

Smith, Esq. G. B.—Sankarpore.

Smyth, Esq. D. C.—Calcutta.

Smyth, Jas. Griffith—50th Regt., Calcutta.

Saunders, Esq. Geo. (2 Letters)—Bengal Civil Service, Post Office, Cape of Good Hope.

Samuel, Mr. Jas.—kind care of Mr. J. Young, Calcutta.

Staep, Mrs. M.—Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope.

Scott, Major Jonathan—Invalid Establishment, care of Messrs. Hamilton, Rose and Co., Cape of Good Hope.

Stevens, Mr. John—Cape of Good Hope.

Stevens, Mr. George—Examiner, Judge Advocate General's Office, Madras, East India.

Stephen, Esq., S. J.—Dacca.

Secretary to the Agricultural Society—Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope.

Sheriff, Captain—of the 13th Regiment N. I., to await his arrival at Calcutta.

Skeeler, Mr.—Portrait and Marine Painter, Calcutta.

Shepherd, Mr. Stephen—Calcutta.

Smith, Mr.—Orphan Chamber, Cape of Good Hope.

Smith, Esq. Wm.—Chundertagore, to be left till called for.

Sheriff, H.—Served on board the Barge Dala, of Rangoon, Calcutta, Ceylon.

Shuard, John—4th Regiment of Foot, Chittam Barracks.

Sheahan, Daniel—Private F. L. Company's Service, Calcutta, elsewhere.

Stevens, Serjt. Wm.—Third Battalion, Hon'ble Company's Royal Artillery, Dum-Dum, or elsewhere, Bengal, East India.
 Stone, Thos Shanham—Serjt. Nepaul, in the East India Company Force, Bengal, East India.
 Solomon, Mr.—Hendrick Abraham, employed under a Lawyer, Lalpoor, No. 4, Calcutta.
 Sullivan, Gunner Thus.—E. I. Company's Artillery, Dum-Dum.
 Slemon, Mr.—Merchant, Assam, Goalparah.
 Supun Khan—to the care of W. Thompson, Esq., York Street, Sydney.

(To be continued.)

W. MOORE, Deputy Post Master.
 Fort William, General Post Office, }
 31st August, 1840.

Packet for the reception of Letters by the following Ships are open at this Office.

Name of Vessel.	Agent.	Intended Departure.	To what Port.	Touching at.	Remarks.
Kitty	J. and J. Alabéz, Eglington, McCleare and Co.	From Bombay 1st June, 1841, latest date for Letters from Calcutta 17th December 1840, ...	Overland Letters via Suez.		
Sebastis	Thomas and Co.	Ditto, ...	Singapore, Sydney.		
Wm. Dampier	Aldam, Scott and Co.	5th Ditto, ...	Penang, Mauritius.		
Falcons	Alexander, Turner and Co.	6th Ditto, ...	London.		
Urgent	Bergson, Brothers and Co.	Ditto, ...	Ditto.		
Agricola	Bergson, Brothers and Co.	8th Ditto, ...	China.		
Seven	Bruce, Shand and Co.	10th Ditto, ...	Liverpool.		
Bloomsbury	Ditto, ...	12th Ditto, ...	London.		
Owen Glendower	Ditto, ...				

Gazette, General Post Office, the 4th December, 1840.

W. MOORE, Deputy Post Master.

Third.—Letters for the United Kingdom of Great Britain, weighing less than a quarter of an ounce, and passing through France, are charged single postage, which by that route amounts to 2s. 8d. By the Falmouth route, Letters of half an ounce in weight, are subject to single postage only, which by that route, has now been reduced to 1s.

Newspapers, if sent via Falmouth, are free of postage; but if transmitted by the way of Marseilles, they are charged 2d. each.

H. S. OLDFIELD,

Off. Post Master General.

Port William, Genl. Post Office, }
 the 27th May, 1840.

NOTIFICATION.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council to dispatch a Steamer from hence to Suez, on Friday, the 1st of January 1841.

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. M. WILLOUGHBY, Major,

Acting Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 10th Nov., 1840.

With reference to the above Notification, Notice is hereby given, that the latest safe date for the transmission of letters from Calcutta, which may be intended for despatch from Bombay by the January Steamer, will be the 17th of the ensuing month of December.

H. S. OLDFIELD,

Off. Post Master General.

Port William, General Post Office, }
 the 23d November, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the office of the Secretary to the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, has this day been temporarily removed from the Premises No. 2, in Bankball Street, to the uppermost story of the Bengal Bonded Ware House.

By Order of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, the 3d day of December 1840,

H. TORRENS,

Secretary.

এন্দোহার মেওয়া ফাইতেহে যে কুমুক সাইরেন অ্যালিপান বেতে প্রমিট বেমক ও আফিলের সিলেক্টেড সাইহেবের মন্তব্য করা মেওয়া বকলাকের নথুলের বাটী হইতে বাপ্তে অফিলেস বেমক অট্ট'নিকার চোমহুর উপরাম্ভ প্রিচুর গি'রে

ফেনোলিক ইকুন শাহেবান অ্যালিপান বেতে প্রমিট বেমক ও আফিলেতি ভারিখ ও ডিসের মু ১৮৪০ মাস

H. TORRENS, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that with the sanction of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, Tenders will be received at this Office on or before the 31st proximo, at 11 o'clock, for the purchase of Mds. 819 of Cutack Pungah Salt of 1232, to be sold in quantities of not less than lots of 250 pounds each, in satisfaction of Golah rent due, should the owners not previously appear and pay up the rent now due on their goods.

Intending purchasers are to satisfy themselves by personal inspection of the article at the Government Golah at Bokhea,—the salt to be paid for and taken away within one week, after the tender shall have been accepted by the Superintendent of the Salt Golahs.

F. BOWRING,

Off. of the Golah.

Cuttack Salt Golahs, the 23d Novr. 1840.

OVERLAND LETTERS AND POSTAGE.

I T is hereby notified for general information—
 First.—That all Letters and Newspapers, except Soldiers' and Sailors' Letters, intended for transmission by the Overland Mails, and except those specially marked "via Falmouth," will be sent through France, and thus be subject to the heavier rate of postage.

Second.—Letters and Newspapers addressed in France, as well as those to other foreign countries, with which France is the channel of communication (if the latter are expressly directed to be so sent) will be made up in Packets and sent to the French Post Master at Marseilles; but Letters for Foreign Countries, other than France, if not specially directed to France, will be included in the Packets for England. Letters, &c., for places lying between Bombay and Marseilles, will be despatched in separate packets.

আহেবার আপিলার বোট প্রমিট নমক ও আ ক্লিমের আদেশাবস্থার স্বীকৃত দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামী ১১ ডিসেম্বর বিদা ১২ অটোবর সময় শর্যান্ত সন ১৮৪০ সালের মোকাবী ১৮৯/ মোন কটক পাই। নমক বিক্রয়ার্থে টেওর অঠোঁু বিক্রয় সুচক আবেদনপত্র অতি আকিষে লওয়া যাইবেক গোপনীয় ভাড়া আদীয় কারণ প্রত্যোক লাট ২৫/ মোবের কম দিক্ষণ করা যাইবেক ন। অপর সাবেক খরিদার যদ্যপি ই টেপুরে উপরের গিযিত ব্য কেবেশ হে গোপনীয় ভাড়া পাইব। আহে ভাই। আ সাঁকৰে তবে বিক্রয় হইবেক ন।

“ক্লিমারামের” উচিত যে ক্লের পুরু নমকের অমূল্য সরকারি গোলায় দেবে আর টেওর অন্যুত সুপারেবল্টেন্ডেন্ট আহেবার স্বার্গ যাইলে এক হাতাহের মতে টাকা সার্বিল করিয়া নমক গোলাপ করিয়া দয় ইতি সন ১৮৪০ সাল তাতিখ ২৫ নবৰূপ।

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors of Calcutta.

In the matter of James Anderson, Potter, of Connolly, in Calcutta, that Assignment has been made of the Estates and Effects of the said Insolvent, and legal possession thereof given to Mr. John Wallis Alexander, conformably to the order of Court.

Office of Examiner, 4th December, 1840.
Mr. Stretton, Atty.

**ক্লিমার জোতেহির আপিলার পরি
আনন্দে আবাসিত**

ক্লিমার আপেল এপেলাবল পাটো। অক্ষয়ার প্রবর্তন ক্লিমার কলিকাতার কসাই দেওয়া যাইতে টোপ। নিবাসি দরজী। হেবে উক মাত যাবের কাল্পনক বিদ্যুক মোকাবীনাম। এবং ভাইর অধিকার উক আবাসতের হকুমানুস্মারে যে আম আপিল আপিলকরেণুর সাবেকের হতে অপিত হইল।

ক্লিমার সাবেক আকিষ
সন ১৮৪০ সাল ৪ ডিসেম্বর
মেং ইন্ট্রাটেল উকিল

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors of Calcutta.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the matter of the Petition and状狀 (the suit having been filed in the Court) of

John Anderson, Potter,
of Connolly, in Calcutta, Petitioner, and not a prisoner for debt in the Gaol of Calcutta, will be heard on Saturday, the 9th day of January 1841, at the hour of 11 o'Clock in the forenoon.

“No Creditor will be allowed at the Hearing to oppose the discharge of a prisoner unless he shall have given Notice of his intention to the Chief Clerk, three days before the day of Hearing.”

Office of Examiner, 4th December, 1840.
Mr. Stretton, Atty.

**ক্লিমার জোতেহির আপিলার পরি
গাঁথু আবাসিত**

অক্ষয়ার প্রবর্তন দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে এই আদা সতে হারিল করা আরজী ও ফদের বিষয় নিচের মারিত

হকুমানুস্মার দণ্ড

ক্লিমার কাল্পনি পাটো নিবাসি চাইল হালাপারি এবং এক্ষেত্রে ক্লিমার জেলের এক কঠোর সন ১৮৪১ সালের জানুয়ারি মাহার তাৰিখে হো। ১১ অটোবর সময় ভাইর বিষয় সুবানি হইবেক

কেট “কোৱ মহাজন আপত্য কৱিতে পারি দেমৰাই বালাসিতে কোৱ কঠোর জ্যোপী সুবানিৰ বিয়মিত দিবসেৰ পৰ্যু পৰ্যু তিন দিবস ধাকিতে ভাইর মানসেৱ সন্দৰ্ভ চিক কোক সা হেবেৰ আকিসে রাখিবৰ”

একজামিনৰ সাবেকেৰ সপ্তরণান।

সন ১৮৪০ সাল ৪ ডিসেম্বৰ

মেং ইন্ট্রাটেল উকিল

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 13TH Nov. 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be held by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court House in the said Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the Eighth day of December next, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon.

T. BRACKEN, Sheriff.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon each succeeding day precisely at the same hour, of which all persons are required to take notice.

T. BRACKEN, Sheriff.

অপিল আপিল ১০ নবৰূপ ১৮৪০ সাল

অমাচাৰ কেওয়ো যাইতেছে যে আগামী ৮ বি কাহুৰ ১৮৪০ সাল বৃশ্বাৰ আগামো বটোৱ সময় সহ ক্লিমার কোর্ট উইলেমেৰ এবং ভাইর অপিলাতি বে সকল হাব ক্লিমিতে বক্সেশে কোর্ট উইলেমেৰ কলেজে আপৰ আবাস ঘৰে কেবটোৱিল এবং এডমিৰেলি অৰ্থাৎ মহাজন্ম, সমিক্ষি অক্ষয়ার বিকাশ কৰা এক সে জীবন আঠোঁু বিহিল কঢ়িবেন।

T. BRACKEN, Sheriff.

এই দেশীয়াৰ অতোকাল পৰ্যু পৰ্যু বলীবেক ভাই
র অবৈধ দিন আগামো বটোৱ সময় ভাইর পৰ
লীকি দীবৰ যে সময় বলীবেক এবিয়ু সকল
বৰ্তমান

T. BRACKEN, Sheriff.

NOTICE: Oyer,
the 13th Nov. 1840.

FIRST LOTTERY of 1841, for the Improvement of the City of Calcutta.

First Day's Drawing; Tuesday, December 1, 1840.

5th Column.	6th Column.
2112 2337 4234 3881 3800 2409	137 3351 3637 3541
2099 4544 2800 1785 2116 4116	180 4490 4398 1033
1681 1036 3469 3148	19 3389 4363 9 3011 560
508 1236 1230 3743 3303	3645 2788 1544 3236 2133
4100 2701 8579 3485	203 2318 3674 1299 3741 4107
1790 3788 4769	3797 3131 3704 1776 2110 3577 3492
3510 4712 3808 4402	3827 647 1315 2870 3305 4650
3718 4507 2869 3735	3025 3315 4542 4756 260 4781
684 2397 3540 1256	814 2100 1876 4115 4146 2253
4755 4288 2398	612 1191 4272 4506 3971 3751 4187
1152 4 45 3832 3659	3228 3699 60 2402 1353 2570
3030 3511 3479	409 2162 3795 3995 980 2366 1811
4019 405 3173	975 1159 1240 1464 151 1370 4203
1050 1391 401 2470	750 2516 978 1854 806 238
1425 2960 1316 4562	1806 2318 3630 2304 2565 1606
4690 2758 4513	2210 2916 3756 895 4646 511 162
1309 2721 2337	3036 4699 494 1870 4674 302 1289
747 2493 2576 4579	3268 1612 1451 4111 3107 3736
1178 4421 697 1194	3152 2525 2358 2618 3051 1918
3493 4603 279	348 1789 4208 2300 1686 4017 3274
3063 1319 3627	424 2855 2556 3722 3622 4360 4003
1029 425 3307 483	2461 4271 3710 716 201 1900
520 2464 1828 3918	4719 4635 1090 1684 2698 3142
4672 4636 1039 4186	1747 2596 3390 2833 319 4073
3450 1032 1830	86 1251 214 2515 1595 2381 638
213 4000 1243 1012	2953 13 950 1770 4037 1088
699 1990 1439 269	929 996 2460 982 1826 4741
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2132 481 4116 3574	2321 3766 2890 1816 8427 4418
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138 1297 3913 2865	1183 634 361 4046 2792 2169
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2817 1890 4582 2736	191 1815 2356 3681 1480 4698
1524 150 1785	1161 871 2530 3700 3535 12 1618
2617 202 4786	285 3270 2518 2778 2608 3534 443
1417 3796 181 853	4053 3316 329 2430 4167 793
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4032 2726 2990	4229 878 695 1005 2305 2055 108
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J. F. HYDE,

Secy. to the Lottery Committee.

CALCUTTA, DECEMBER 1, 1840.

The Second Day's Drawing will take place on Saturday, the 19th day of December, precisely at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Public, that on the 4th November, 1840, two pieces of Company's Paper, No. 11570 for 700 Rs. and 11852 for 800 Rs., (being 1500 Rupees,) having been lost or stolen from within a Box, a reward will be given, if required, to the party finding and restoring the same to Juggomohun Bose.

THE Public are hereby informed, that the Sub-Treasurer will negotiate Bills upon the undermentioned Provincial Treasuries, at the rates cited, to the extent of the surplus that is available at each Treasury:

LOWER PROVINCES.

Banepahar,
Bograi,
Dinagepore,
Maldah,
Midnapore,
Nuddeah,
Tipperah,
at par and three days' sight.

C. MORLEY, Acc't. General.

Fort William,
Accountant General's Office,
The 5th December, 1840.

NOTICE.—The Public are hereby informed, under order of Government, dated 20th January, 1839, that excavations, surrounded with fences, and having lights at night, are in progress in the undermentioned Thoroughfares in the Town of Calcutta.

Lower North Division.

Portuguese Church Street will be closed against Carriages.

Portuguese Church Street, a Tunnel to be constructed; it will be necessary to close the entrances to the Street, with a strong fence between Moorgabba Street and a Lane branching from the west side of Portuguese Church Street.

Lower South Division.

Park Street from the junction of Chowringhee Road to Camac Street to be fenced while the Road is under repair.

Lower North and Upper North Divisions.

Chittore Road: West side: from Moorgabba Street to opposite Dwarkeynath Tagore's Lane—Aqueduct to be built.

R. J. ROSE,
Offy. Supt. Conservancy.

NOTICE.

WANTED a Treasurer for the Salt Agency Office of Tumlock, Salary per annum, Rupees 40. Security to the value of Fifty Thousand Rupees will be required. It is not necessary that the applicant know Persian, he must be a good Accountant, and be well acquainted with the Bengalee language, and if he understands English so much the better.

A. C. BARWELL,

Acting Agent, T.D.

Tumlock Salt Office,
the 3d December, 1840.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ALEXANDER ROGERS, in our Firm, ceased from the 31st August 1840.

Mr. ROBERT JOHN DRING is admitted a Partner in our Firm from the 1st September 1840.

HAMILTON & CO.

4th December, 1840.

NOTICE.

ENGAGEMENTS with the Government of Cuttack, also the business of General Merchants, having been carried on for the last few years, under the denomination of FRANK or F. BEETSON and Co. This is to Certify, that this Firm has ceased to exist, and that business will be carried on under the denomination of BEETSON and Co:

Present Partners,

FRANK BEETSON,

AND

RICHARD BEETSON.

Cuttack, in the District of Orissa,
14th November, 1840.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Moorshedabad, on Thursday, the 14th December 1840, or 1st Poone 1247, B. S.

Name of Melah to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which they are situated, and number of the Lot in the Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietors.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest up to Sept. 1840.	Remarks.
1. Ph. Goanwurpurbab,	{ Reja Kishen Chand Sing, &c.	182647 9 6	82826 6 7	This Land produces Indigo, Mulberry, Paddy, and Sugar Cane.
2. Hooda Boroor, &c.	Ditto,	105498 8 8	12557 2 11	Ditto.
3. Kist. Ph. Vasneepoor,	Doongapershad, &c.	8076 12 5	1944 4 10	Ditto.
The abovementioned Estates are still under Butwarra.				
1. Kist. Ph. Roopnepoor,	Seetanath Sandial,	69702 12 11	12595 9 7	Ditto.
5. Hooda Sekhaleepoor,	Doodi Dehys, &c.	9848 11 4	854 11 7	Ditto.
9. Hooda Pooronpurtumbanu,	Shibnurain Ghose,	8156 8 2	1167 8 11	Ditto.
11. Hooda Paitkabunty,	Meah Murjan, &c.	11530 4 5	1209 9 8	Ditto.
25. Dihoo Guakar Churka, ...	{ Brindhubunbeharee Tarkone, Sevt. Bijoygobind, &c.	14886 12 10	2846 5 4	Ditto.
60. Kist. Ph. Dyanugger,	Enqar Oollah Chowdree, &c.,	9590 12 8	1032 5 8	Ditto.
325. Turf Muoneeb Dihoo, ...	Mohes Chunder, &c.,	12916 4 0	1603 9 9	Ditto.

* The right and interest of Raneo Uanepoornah will be sold.

Moorshedabad, Collector's Office, the 30th November, 1840.

PIERCE TAYLOR, Collector.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Jessor, on the 16th day of December 1840 next, corresponding with 3d Poone 1247 B. S.

Name of Melah to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest and Penalty.	Remarks.
Pergh. Dantee, &c. No. 1, ...	{ Essur Chunder Paul Chowdree, &c.,	47922 5 6	6238 1 0	Indigo, Date Trees, Sugar, and all kinds of Grains are produced on this Melah.
Turf Jaraduh, No. 3, Pergh. Mahomedshye,	Rajeebchun Roy, &c., ...	5894 0 8	1269 11 8	Ditto.
Turf Koolbarreah, Pergunnah Mahomedshye, No. 4, ...	Ramkunyo Dob Roy, &c., ...	8285 2 11	845 14 4	Ditto.
Pergunnah Santoro, No. 7, ...	Essurchunder Paul Chowdree,	42633 7 5	4767 11 5	Ditto.

Zillah Jessor, Collector's Office, the 27th November, 1840.

D. TURNBULL, Offy. Collector.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Jessor, on the 16th day of December 1840 next, corresponding with 3d Poone B. S.

Name of Melah to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest and Penalty.	Remarks.
Pergh. Essupoor Aoumeebab, No. 2, ...	{ Essur Chunder Nandee, Puttan Hemela Dossen, &c.,	14994 15 11	8566 4 1	Indigo, Date Trees, Sugar and all kinds of Grains are produced on this Melah.
Pergh. Hindapore, No. 3, ...	Woolyechund Andree, &c., ...	6857 2 10	145 8 10	Ditto.
Pergh. Dihoo, Houghi, &c., No. 4, ...	Radamohan Ghose,	9324 2 0	1229 2 4	Ditto.
Pergunnah Mahomedshye, Hissa 6 As. 8 Gds. No. 5, Do. Do., Hissa 3 As. 4 Gds., No. 6, ...	Tarnes Churn Banerjee, &c.,	47570 12 0	460 2 6	Ditto.
Pergh. Nuldes, &c., No. 7, ...	Ditto, ...	34140 1 3	2330 6 6	Ditto.
Pergh. Ramchunderpore, No. 8, ...	Shreenarain Sing,	71211 11 9	7554 11 1	Ditto.
Pergh. Syedpore, No. 10, ...	Kaleenath Roy, &c.,	19451 2 4	4005 6 1	Ditto.
	Rajah Burdakanth Roy,	40162 2 8	1788 6 3	Ditto.

Zillah Jessor, Collector's Office, the 27th November, 1840.

D. TURNBULL, Offy. Collector.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Jessor, on the 16th day of December 1840 next, corresponding with 8d Poos 1247 B. S.

Name of Mahal to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest and Penalty.	Remarks.
Pergunnah Chingonten, No. 1, ...	Gopallal Tagore,	2024 5 9	5160 15 10	Indigo, Date Trees, Sugar, and all kinds of Grains are produced on this Mahal.
Perg. Noonnugger, No. 8, ...	Ditto,	6572 5 5	1086 3 8	Ditto.

Zillah Jessor, Collector's Office, the 29th November, 1840.

D. TURNBULL, Offg. Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL,
21st November, 1840.

UNDER the XIII. Section of the Charter (Act VI. of 1839,) a Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at the Bank on **Monday, the 14th December** next at Ten A. M., to elect two Directors to be in the room of James Colquhoun and John Cowie, Esquires, who will go out of the Direction, by rotation, on the said 14th December.

The Poll will close at 5 p. m.

Published by Order of the Directors.

T. BRACKEN,
Secy. to the Bank.

BENGAL MILITARY FUND.

IN conformity to the 26th and 27th Articles of the Regulations, a General Meeting of the Subscribers of the Military Fund will be held, at the Military Fund Office, on Wednesday, the 27th January 1841, at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the inspection, and approval of Accounts of the Fund, and of the proceedings of the Directors of the past year.

After the disposal of the above business, the Meeting will be declared special for the consideration, under Article 32, of the recent Propositions from 53 Subscribers at Meerut, as submitted to the Army in the Circular from the Directors, No. 487 of the 25th September 1840.

J. W. J. OUSELEY, President.

Fort William, Military Fund Office, 12th October, 1840.

NOTICE.

SUNDRY Effects of the late GREGORY HAWKINS, Junior, Esq., Uncovenanted Deputy Collector at Jessor, are under the Seal of this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally authorized to administer them.

HENRY SWETENHAM, Judge.
Zillah Jessor, District Adasolat, the 25th November, 1840.

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NOTIFICATION.

FORT WILLIAM, SECRET DEPARTMENT,

TUES 4TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to order that the following copy of a despatch from Major General Sir R. Sale, K. C. B. to the address of Major General Sir W. Cotton, G. C. B. and K. C. B., Commanding the Troops in Afghanistan, reporting his operations against the Enemy on the 2d ultimo, and the subjoined abstract from a despatch from Major General Nott, to the address of Sir W. Cotton, dated from Kelat the 3d ultimo, be published for general information.

By Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council,

T. M. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(Corax.)

To MAJOR GENERAL
SIR WILLOUGHBY COTTON, G. C. B. & K. C. B.,
&c. &c. &c.,

Sir,

Cabul.

Having received intelligence that Dost Mahomed Khan, with a number of armed followers, had taken possession of some Forts in this direction, from which he proposed moving to-day towards the Ghorebund Pass, with the view of effecting a junction with his Son Mahomed Afzul Khan, I determined on endeavoring to frustrate the attempt.

Accordingly at 8 a. m. I broke up my Camp at Bala, the Fort of Meer Munjeedee, and moved on this position.

An advanced column, consisting of four Companies of H. M. 19th Light Infantry, the two Flank Companies of the 37th N. I., one Company of the 27th N. I., the two 6-pounders of the Shah's, two Squadrums of the 2d Light Cavalry, and 200 of Anderson's Horse, the whole under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Salter, preceded the main body which was commanded by myself.

On approaching Purwan the Forts and Villages were rapidly evacuated by the Enemy who were seen flying to the Hills in great numbers; I cannot compute them at fewer than 500 Horse and 8000 foot; the native reports received swell their numbers in a much higher amount.

Dr. Lord, who accompanied Col. Salter to procure information, sent word that he believed if the Cavalry proceeded in advance they would be able to cut off some of the fugitives, and in compliance with his request the 2d Cavalry were ordered to skirt the hill

to the right, while the Shah's Horse under Captain Anderson took post on the left of the Pass, to prevent any of the Enemy attempting to escape in the direction of Ghorebund. The Infantry followed, but their movements were greatly retarded by the Ghans, the progress of which was much impeded by the numerous water-courses that intersected the road.

The 2d Cavalry had preceded the column about a mile when a body of the Enemy's Horse, about 300 in number, supposed to be headed by Dost Mahomed in person, came down the Hill to attack them. The Cavalry was formed into Line and led on to the charge by Captains Fraser and Ponsonby, Commanding the two Squadrons. It is my painful duty to record that the gallant bearing of these Officers was but ill seconded by their men, they both found themselves in the midst of the Enemy unsupported by their Troopers, and, after being most severely wounded, extricated themselves with difficulty and found their men flying before the Enemy. I deeply regret to state that Lieutenant Crispin, the Adjutant of the Regiment, was cut down and killed, leading his men into action; Dr. Lord was also most unfortunately killed in this affair, and Lieutenant Broadfoot, of the Engineers, who was also in advance, is missing.

Of the gallantry of Captain Fraser and the other Officers of the 2d Cavalry, who led the Squadrons of the Regiment on this occasion, I cannot speak too highly, and I regret that their noble example and the opportunity offered to the 2d Cavalry of adding to its laurels, have been thus neglected by them.

The two Flank Companies of the 37th Regiment and one Company of the 27th Regiment, supported by two Guns from Captain Abbott's Battery, and followed by some of the Jann Baxees, now ascended the hill overlooking the Pass and Valley of Purwan, which was crowded by the Enemy's Infantry, and cleared it in brilliant style, the Enemy deserting their positions one after the other and flying in the direction of the Punjab Valley, where they still cover the hill side in great numbers.

The Enemy however are in too great a distance to admit of my following up the advantage I have obtained this evening, the whole of the Troops having been under arms for 9 hours. I have therefore encamped on the ground, taking every precaution to guard against a night attack.

I beg to enclose the accompanying Casualty Return, from which you will perceive that, excepting the serious disaster sustained in the affair of the 2d Cavalry, but little loss has resulted from the day's operations.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. SALE, M. Genl.

Camp Purwan, 2d Nov. 1840.

Return of Killed, Wounded and Missing of a Detachment on Field Service under the Command of Major General Sir H. Sale, K. C. B., on the 2d November 1840.—Camp Purwan, 2d November, 1840.

	Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets, Ensigns and 2d Lieutenants.	Adjutant.	Riding Master.	Veterinary Surgeon.	Subadars.	Jemadars.	Havildars.	Naicks.	Rough Riders and Farriers.	Trumpeters and Buglers.	Sepoys.	Sergeants.	Ghars Cutters.	Horses.	REMARKS.		
																	Officers Names.		
Engineers,	Missing...	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Lieutenant Broadfoot.		
	Killed,	■	■	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	Adjutant	
2d Light Cavalry,	Wounded,	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	22	21	0	16	Brigadier Genl.	
	Missing,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	12	Captains Fraser and Pon-	
27th Native Infantry,	Killed,	0	0	■	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	sonby severely wounded.	
	Wounded,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Missing,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
37th Native Infantry,	Killed,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Wounded,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0		
	Missing,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Total,	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	5	1	0	0	34	3	0	28		

(Signed) R. SALE, Major General.

Commanding Field Force in Kohistan.

(Examined) HAMLET WADE, Captain,

Major of Brigade.

I beg to recommend that Dr. Thompson, of the 2d Cavalry, be sent out to take charge of the wounded of that Regiment.

(True Copy.)

J. D. DOUGLAS, Captain.

Assistant Adjutant General.

Extract from a Despatch from Major Genl. Nott, dated Camp Kelat, November 3d, 1840.

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of Major General Sir Willoughby Cotton, G. C. B., and K. C. B., Commanding in Afghanistan, that the Troops under my Command this morning entered and took possession of the Town and Citadel of Kelat—the rebel Chiefs having evacuated this strong Fortress on the approach of the British Force.

After making the usual and necessary arrangements, I shall deliver the place over to the Political Authorities, leaving a complete Regiment to garrison that important Fortress until the pleasure of Government shall be known.

Although the Bengal Sepoys have not had on the present occasion an opportunity of distinguishing themselves in action with the Enemy, yet I beg to assure you that nothing could be finer than their conduct, the zealous and cheerful manner in which they conveyed the Battering Train during a march of near 300 miles of the most difficult country in the world, dragging these heavy guns over the Kajok Mountains, through beds of rivers and deep ravines, exceeds all praise, and has called forth the admiration of their European Officers and of the European Artillery-men attached to the Battery; their patience under fatigue and privation, and their soldier-like and orderly conduct, deserve my warmest thanks, and their anxious and

active zeal to keep the march and to encounter the Enemy, has confirmed me in the conviction, that they are, when they perceive that confidence is placed in them, fully equal to any Troops in the world.

I cannot close this letter without bringing to your notice the great assistance I have received from Colonel Stacy, Commanding the 43d Regiment, Major Clarkson, Commanding the 42d Regiment, Captain Macan, Commanding the Troop of His Majesty Shah Shujah and Muulk, and my best thanks are due to that excellent Officer Captain William Anderson, in Command of the Artillery, and to Captain T. Walker, Commanding the Cavalry.

My best thanks are also due to Captain Polwell, Brigade Major, and to Lieutenant Tytler, Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, for their constant exertions in the public service.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) W. NOTT, Major Genl.

Commanding the Troops at Kelat.

To CAPTAIN DOUGLAS,

A. Adj't. General, Cabool.

(True Copies)

T. H. MADDOCK,

Serv. to the Govt. of India.



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It is requested that Government Notifications for the Calcutta Gazette, of any length, may be sent to the Press before Noon of Tuesday, and those of a few lines only before 5 P. M. of that day.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1840.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

TUESDAY NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, in the Legislative Department, under date the 30th November 1840, is published for general information.

Read a second time the Draft of proposed Act dated the 31st June 1839, and published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 8th of the same month, for the protection of moveable and immoveable property against wrongful possession in cases of successions.

Resolution.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council resolve that the following amended Draft on the subject, be republished for general information:

Act No. — or 1840.

Act for the protection of moveable and immoveable property against wrongful possession in cases of successions.

I. Whereas much inconvenience has been experienced, where persons have died possessed of moveable and immoveable property, and the same has been taken upon pretended claims of right by gift or succession; the difficulty of ascertaining the precise nature of the moveable property in such cases, the opportunities for misappropriating such property, and also the profits of real property, the delays of a regular suit when vexatiously protracted, and the liability of heirs when out of possession to prosecute their rights, affording strong temptations for the employment of force or fraud in order to obtain possession. And whereas, from the above causes, the circumstance of actual possession, when taken upon a succession, does not afford an indication of rightful title equal to that of a decision by a Judge after hearing all parties in a summary suit, though such summary suit may not be sufficient to prevent a party removed from possession thereby from instituting a regular suit;—and whereas such summary suit, though it will take away many of the temptations which exist for obtaining wrongful possession upon a succession will be too tardy a remedy for obviating them all, especially as regards immoveable property. And whereas it may be expedient prior to the determination of the summary suit to appoint a Curator to take charge of property upon a succession, where there is reason to apprehend danger of misappropriation, waste or neglect, and where such appointment will, in the opinion of the authority making the same, be beneficial under all the circumstances of the case. And whereas it will be very inconvenient to interfere with successions to be settled by the appointment of Curators, or by summary suit unless satisfactory grounds for such proceedings shall appear, and unless such proceedings shall be required by or on the behalf of parties giving satisfactory proof that they are likely to be materially prejudiced if left to the ordinary remedy of a regular suit;—

It is hereby enacted, that whenever a person dies leaving property, moveable or immoveable, it shall

be lawful for any person claiming a right by succession thereto, or to any portion thereof, and being out of possession, to make application to the Judge of the Court of the District where any part of the property is found or situate for relief, either after actual possession has been taken by another person, or when opposition is apprehended.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for any agent, relative, or near friend, or for the Court of Wards in cases within their cognizance in the event of any minor disqualified or absent person being entitled by succession to such property as aforesaid, and being out of possession to make the like application for relief.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge to whom such application shall be made shall, in the first place, enquire by the solemn declaration of the complainant, and by witnesses and documents at his discretion, whether there be strong reasons for believing that the party in possession is holding possession unlawfully, and that the applicant, or the person on whose behalf he applies is really entitled, and that the application is made bona fide.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that in case the Judge shall be satisfied of the existence of such strong grounds of belief but not otherwise, he shall cite the party in possession and give notice of vacant or disturbed possession by publication, and after the expiration of a reasonable time shall determine summarily the right to possession (subject to regular suit as hereinafter mentioned) and shall deliver possession accordingly—provided always that the Judge shall have the power to appoint an officer who shall take an inventory of effects, and seal or otherwise secure the same upon being applied to for the purpose without delay, whether he shall have concluded the enquiry necessary for citing the party in possession or not.

V. And it is hereby enacted, that in case it shall further appear, upon such application and examination as aforesaid, that danger is to be apprehended of the misappropriation or waste of the property before the summary suit can be determined, and that it is likely to be attended with manifest benefit to the party out of possession, provided he be the lawful owner by succession, and that the delay in obtaining security from the party in possession, or the insufficiency thereof is likely to expose the party out of possession to considerable risk, provided he be the lawful owner; it shall be lawful for the Judge to appoint one or more Curators with the powers hereinafter next mentioned, whose authority shall continue according to the terms of his or their respective appointments, and into esse beyond the determination of the summary suit and the confirmation or delivery of possession in consequence thereof. Provided always that, in the case of need, the Judge may delegate to the Collector or to his officer the powers of a Curator, and also that every appointment of a Curator in respect of any property be duly published.

VI. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge shall have power to authorize such Curator, either to take possession of the property generally, or until security

be given by the party in possession, or until inventories of the property shall have been made, or for any other purpose necessary for securing the property from misappropriation or waste by the party in possession. Provided always, that it shall be entirely discretionary with the Judge, whether he shall allow the party in possession to continue in such possession, on giving security, or not, and any continuance in possession shall be subject to such orders as the Judge may issue touching inventories, or the securing of deeds or other effects.

VII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge shall exact from the Curator security for the faithful discharge of his trust, and for rendering satisfactory accounts of the same as hereinafter mentioned, and may authorize him to receive out of the property such remuneration as shall appear reasonable, but in no case exceeding 5 per centum on the personal property and on the annual profits of the real property, all surplus monies realized by the Curator shall be paid into Court, and invested in public Securities for the benefit of the persons entitled thereto upon adjudication of the summary suit. Provided always, that although security shall be required from the Curator with all reasonable despatch, and, where it is practicable, shall be taken generally to answer all cases, for which the person may be afterwards appointed Curator, yet no delay in the taking of security shall prevent the Judge from immediately investing the Curator with the powers of his office.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that in all matters regarding the property of citing the party in possession, of appointing a Curator, and of nominating individuals to that appointment, the Judge shall demand a report from the Collector, and the Collector is hereby required to furnish the same. In cases of urgency the Judge may proceed, in the first instance, without such report and he shall not be obliged to act in conformity thereto, but, in case of his acting otherwise than according to such report, he shall immediately forward a statement of his reasons to the Court of Sudder Dewany Adawlut, and the Court of Sudder Dewany Adawlut if they shall be dissatisfied with such reasons shall direct the Judge to proceed conformably to the report of the Collector.

IX. And it is hereby enacted, that the Curator shall be subject to all orders of the Judge regarding the institution or the defense of suits, and that all suits may be instituted or defended in the name of the Curator on behalf of the estate, provided that suits concerning the estate which would be triable before the Judge appointing the Curator shall be triable in the Zillah or City Court nearest to that of such Judge.

X. And it is hereby enacted, that pending the custody of the property by the Curator, it shall be lawful for the Judge to make such allowances as upon a summary investigation of the rights and circumstances of the parties interested, he shall consider that necessity may require, taking, at his discretion, security for the repayment thereof with interest, in case the party shall, upon the adjudication of the summary suit, appear not to be entitled thereto.

XI. And it is hereby enacted, that the Curator shall file monthly accounts in abstract, and at the period of every three months, if his administration last so long, and upon giving up the possession of the property file a detailed account of his administration to the satisfaction of the Judge.

XII. And it is hereby enacted, that after the Judge of any district shall have appointed any Curator, such appointment shall preclude the Judge of any other district within the same Presidency from appointing any other Curator, provided the first appointment be in respect of the whole of the property of the deceased. But if the appointment be only in respect of a portion of the property of the deceased, this shall not preclude the appointment within the same Presidency of another Curator in respect of the residuary or any portion thereof; provided always that no Judge shall appoint a Curator or entitle a summary suit in respect of property which is the subject of a summary suit previously instituted under this Act before another Judge—and provided further, that if two or more Curators be appointed by different Judges for several parts of an estate, it shall be lawful for the Sudder Dewany Adawlut to make such orders as it shall think fit for the appointment of one Curator of the whole property.

XIII. And it is hereby provided, that this Act shall not be put in force, unless the aforesaid application to the Judge be made within six months of the decease of the proprietor, whose property is claimed by right in succession.

XIV. And it is hereby enacted, that this Act shall not be put in force to contravene any act of settlement, or in cases in which the deceased proprietor shall have given legal directions for the possession of his property after his decease in the event of minority or otherwise in opposition to such directions, but in every such case so soon as the Judge having jurisdiction over the property of a deceased person, shall be satisfied of the existence of such directions he shall give effect thereto, appointing the person indicated thereby to be Curator under this Act if so desired.

XV. And it is hereby provided, that this Act shall not be put in force, for the purpose of disturbing the possession of the Court of Wards of any Presidency; and in case a minor, or other disqualifying person whose property shall be subject to the Court of Wards, shall be the party on whose behalf application is made under this Act, the Judge if he determines to cite the party in possession and also to appoint a Curator, shall invest the Court of Wards with the Curatorship of the estate pending the suit without taking such security as aforesaid, and in case the minor or other disqualifying person shall, upon the adjudication of the summary suit appear to be entitled to the property, possession shall be delivered to the Court of Wards.

XVI. And it is hereby provided, that nothing in this Act contained shall be any impediment to the bringing of a regular suit either by the party whose application may have been rejected, before or after citing the party in possession, or by the party who may have been evicted from the possession under this Act.

XVII. And it is hereby enacted, that the decision of the Judge upon the summary suit under this Act shall have no other effect than, that of settling the actual possession; but that for this purpose it shall be final, not subject to any appeal or order for review.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 1st day of March next.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secty. to Govt. of India,

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,

TUESDAY NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, in the Legislative Department, under date the 20th November 1840, is published for general information.

Read a second time the Draft of a proposed Act dated the 3d June 1839, and published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 8th of the same month, for facilitating the collection of debts on successions, and for the security of parties in paying debts to the representatives of deceased persons.

Resolution.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council resolves that the following amended Draft on the subject, be re-published for general information:

Act No. —— of 1840.

Act for facilitating the collection of debts on successions, and for the security of parties paying debts to the representatives of deceased persons.

I. Whereas the use of Probates and Letters of Administration in regard to the property of deceased British subjects and other persons subject to the Supreme Courts, in their Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, has been found very expedient, as well for enforcing the rights of persons entitled to such property by succession, as also for the security of all persons having transactions with them. And whereas the occasional use of Probates and Letters of Administration in respect of the property of deceased Natives of India, though voluntarily adopted by their representatives for the sake of the advantages arising therefrom, has been attended with much expense and inconvenience, besides creating much legal doubt as to the effect of the authority conferred. And whereas it is expedient to give an express legislative sanction to Probates and Letters granted by the Supreme Courts in respect of the property of deceased Natives, and to authorize instruments having the like effect with Probates and Letters of Administration being granted by the Mofussil Courts but, in either

case, for the purpose of recovering debts only, and the security of debtors paying the same;—

It is hereby enacted, that no debt recoverable without a certificate shall be compelled in any Court of Law to pay his debt to any person claiming to be entitled to the effects of any deceased person or any part thereof, except on the production of a certificate to be obtained in manner hereinafter mentioned, unless the Court shall be of opinion that payment of the debt is withheld from fraudulent or vexatious motives, and not from any reasonable doubt as to the party entitled.

Manner of obtaining certificate. II. And it is hereby enacted, that the Zillah or District Court within the jurisdiction of which any part of the property of the deceased may be found shall have authority to grant a certificate under this Act. The applicant in his petition shall set forth his title. The Judge shall issue notice of application, inviting claimants, and fixing a day for hearing the petition, and in these matters shall proceed as laid down in the Rules in Sections and of Act No. of 1861. (Vide Draft Act respecting curators.)

Effect of certificate. III. And it is hereby enacted, that the certificate of the District or Zillah Judge shall be conclusive of the representative title against all debtors to the deceased, and shall afford full indemnity to all debtors paying their debts to the person in whose favor the certificate has been granted.

Security taken from grantee of certificate. IV. And it is hereby enacted, that the District or Zillah Judge may take such security as he shall think necessary from any person to whom he shall grant a certificate for rendering an account of debts received by him, and for indemnity of persons who may be entitled to the whole or any part of the monies received by virtue of such certificate, whose right to recover the same by regular suit against the holder of the certificate is not affected by this Act.

Decision of Judge how far final. V. And it is hereby enacted, that the granting of such certificate may be suspended by an appeal to the Court of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut, which Court may declare the party to whom the certificate should be granted, or may direct such proceedings for the investigation of the title as it shall think fit. The Court may also upon petition, after a certificate shall have been granted by the District or Zillah Judge, grant fresh certificate in supersession of the certificate granted by the District or Zillah Judge, and such fresh certificate shall not affect any payments made to the person to whom any former certificate may have been granted without notice that the same has been superseded.

Local extent of power given by certificate. VI. And it is hereby enacted, that every certificate shall give authority to the person to whom the same is granted, throughout the Presidency within which the same is granted, and no certificate subsequently granted in respect of the same property shall be valid or effectual, except as hereinafter mentioned.

Government Notes and Dividends. VII. And it is hereby enacted, that a person certified as aforesaid, may be empowered to receive interest on Government Notes and Dividends on Shares of any Bank or parts thereof, and to negotiate such Securities. He may be also empowered to receive a share of such interest or dividends or to negotiate a share of such Securities. These powers (which shall only arise by express words in the certificate) may be exercised in regard to Government Notes and Certificates of Shares of any Bank, existing within the local jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of that Presidency in which is situate the Court by whom those powers are conferred.

Payments under certificate void by reason of previous certificate. VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that where a certificate shall have been granted in cases in which such certificate would be valid, but for the previous grant of a certificate,

all payments made to the person holding the later certificate in ignorance of the grant of the previous certificate shall be held good against claims under such previous certificate.

IX. And it is hereby enacted, with regard to the real property of deceased persons whose personal property may by law pass to their personal representatives without any Probate or Letters of Administration obtained in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice, that no certificate in respect of any such real or personal property shall be valid, if made after a Probate or Letters of Administration granted in respect of the same, provided assets belonging to the deceased were at the time of his death within the jurisdiction of the Court granting the Probate or Letters of Administration.

Bonds also payable. X. And it is hereby provided, that where a certificate shall have been granted in cases in which such certificate would be valid, but for a Probate or Letters of Administration previously granted, all payments made to the person holding the certificate in ignorance of the previous grant of the Probate or Letters of Administration, shall be held good against claims under the Probate or Letters of Administration so previously granted.

Probate or Letters of Administration after previous grant of Certificate. XI. And it is hereby enacted, that no Probate or Letters of Administration shall be valid for the purpose of the recovery of debts or the security of debtors, after a certificate granted in respect of the same property for which such Probate or Letters of Administration shall have been granted, provided assets belonging to the deceased were at the time of his death within the jurisdiction of the Court making such appointment or granting such certificate.

Bonds also payable. XII. And it is hereby provided, that where Probate or Letters of Administration may have been granted, in cases in which such Probate or Letters of Administration would be valid, but for the previous grant of a certificate, all payments made in ignorance of the previous grant of the certificate shall be held good against claims under such previous certificate.

Effect of Probates and Letters granted to Representatives of Hindus and others. XIII. And it is hereby declared and enacted, that all Probates and Letters of Administration granted by any of Her Majesty's Courts in cases in which any assets belonging to deceased persons were, at the time of their deaths, within the jurisdiction of the Court granting the Probate or Letters of Administration, shall have the effect of Probate and Letters of Administration granted in respect of the property of persons whose personal property cannot by law pass to his personal representative without a Probate or Letters of Administration, but for the purpose of the recovery of debts only, and the security of debtors paying the same; except so far as is in this Act provided, and except that this Act shall not be construed to make the taking out of Probate or Letters of Administration necessary for succession to property in any case in which it is not now necessary.

XIV. And it is hereby provided that nothing in this Act contained shall be held to extend to the real or personal property of any person whose personal property cannot by law pass to the personal representative without a Probate or Letters obtained in one of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

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Secty. to the Govt. of India.

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VII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Judge shall exact from the Curator security for the faithful discharge of his trust, and for rendering satisfactory accounts of the same as hereinafter mentioned, and may authorize him to receive out of the property such remuneration as shall appear reasonable, but in no case exceeding 5 per centum on the personal property and on the annual profits of the real property, all surplus monies realized by the Curator shall be paid into Court, and invested in public Securities for the benefit of the persons entitled thereto upon adjudication of the summary suit. Provided always, that although security shall be required from the Curator with all reasonable despatch, and, where it is practicable, shall be taken generally to answer all cases for which the person may be afterwards appointed Curator, yet no delay in the taking of security shall prevent the Judge from immediately investing the Curator with the powers of his office.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that in all matters regarding the propriety of citing the party in possession, of appointing a Curator, and of nominating individuals to that appointment, the Judge shall demand a report from the Collector, and the Collector is hereby required to furnish the same. In cases of urgency the Judge may proceed, in the first instance, without such report and he shall not be obliged to act in conformity thereto, but, in case of his acting otherwise than according to such report, he shall immediately forward a statement of his reasons to the Court of Sudder Dewany Adawlut, and the Court of Sudder Dewany Adawlut if they shall be dissatisfied with such reasons shall direct the Judge to proceed conformably to the report of the Collector.

IX. And it is hereby enacted, that the Curator shall be subject to all orders of the Judge regarding the institution or the defense of suits, and that all suits may be instituted or defended in the name of the Curator on behalf of the estate, provided that suits concerning the estate which would be triable before the Judge appointing the Curator shall be triable in the Zillah or City Court nearest to that of such Judge.

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XIII. And it is hereby professed, that this Act shall not be put in force, unless the aforesaid application to the Judge be made within six months of the death of the proprietor, whose property is claimed by right of succession.

XIV. And it is hereby enacted, that this Act shall not be put in force to contravene any act of settlement, or in cases in which the deceased proprietor shall have given legal directions for the possession of his property after his decease in the event of minority or otherwise in opposition to such directions, but in every such case so soon as the Judge having jurisdiction over the property of a deceased person, shall be satisfied of the existence of such directions he shall give effect thereto, appointing the person indicated thereby to be Curator under this Act if so desired.

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Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

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T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to Govt. of India,

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,

THE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

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Read a second time the Draft of a proposed Act dated the 3d June 1839, and published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 8th of the same month, for facilitating the collection of debts on successions, and for the security of parties in paying debts to the representatives of deceased persons.

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Act No. —— or 1840.

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case, for the purpose of recovering debts only, and the security of debtors paying the same;—

No debt recoverable without a certificate shall be compelled in any Court of Law to pay his debt to any person claiming to be entitled to the effects of any deceased person or any part thereof, except on the production of a certificate to be obtained in manner hereinafter mentioned, unless the Court shall be of opinion that payment of the debt is withheld from fraudulent or vexatious motives, and not from any reasonable doubt as to the party entitled.

Manner of obtaining certificate. II. And it is hereby enacted, that the Zillah or District Court within the jurisdiction of which any part of the property of the deceased may be found shall have authority to grant a certificate under this Act. The applicant in his petition shall set forth his title. The Judge shall issue notice of application, inviting claimants, and fixing a day for hearing the petition, and in these matters shall proceed as laid down in the Rules in Sections _____ and _____ of Act No. of 1841. (Vide Draft Act respecting curators.)

Effect of certificate. III. And it is hereby enacted, that the certificate of the District or Zillah Judge shall be conclusive of the representative title against all debtors to the deceased, and shall afford full indemnity to all debtors paying their debts to the person in whose favor the certificate has been granted.

Security taken from grantee of certificate. IV. And it is hereby enacted, that the District or Zillah Judge may take such security as he shall think necessary from any person to whom he shall grant a certificate for rendering an account of debts received by him, and for indemnity of persons who may be entitled to the whole or any part of the monies received by virtue of such certificate, whose right to recover the same by regular suit against the holder of the certificate is not affected by this Act.

Decision of Judge V. And it is hereby enacted, that the granting of such certificate may be suspended by an appeal to the Court of Sudder Dewanney Adawali, which Court may declare the party to whom the certificate should be granted, or may direct such proceedings for the investigation of the title as it shall think fit. The Court may also upon petition, after a certificate shall have been granted by the District or Zillah Judge, grant a fresh certificate in supersession of the certificate granted by the District or Zillah Judge, and such fresh certificate shall not affect any payments made to the person to whom any former certificate may have been granted without notice that the same has been superseded.

Local extent of power given by certificate. VI. And it is hereby enacted, that every certificate shall give authority to the person to whom the same is granted, to receive interest on Government Notes and Dividends on Shares of any Bank or parts thereof, and to negotiate such Securities. He may be also empowered to receive a share of such interest or dividends or to negotiate a share of such Securities. These powers (which shall only arise by express words in the certificate) may be exercised in regard to Government Notes and Certificates of Shares of any Bank, existing within the local jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of that Presidency in which is situate the Court by whom those powers are conferred.

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all payments made to the person holding the later certificate in ignorance of the grant of the previous certificate shall be held good against claims under such previous certificate.

Certificate after grant of Probate or Letters of Administration. IX. And it is hereby enacted, with regard to the real previous grant of and personal property of deceased persons whose personal property may by law pass to their personal representatives

without any Probate or Letters of Administration obtained in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice, that no certificate in respect of any such real or personal property shall be valid. If made after a Probate or Letters of Administration granted in respect of the same, provided assets belonging to the deceased were at the time of his death within the jurisdiction of the Court granting the Probate or Letters of Administration.

Bonds filed payable on certificate. X. And it is hereby provided, that where a certificate shall have been granted in cases in which such certificate would be valid, but for a Probate or Letters of Administration previously granted, all payments made to the person holding the certificate in ignorance of the previous grant of the Probate or Letters of Administration, shall be held good against claims under the Probate or Letters of Administration so previously granted.

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Effect of Probates and Letters of Administration granted to Representatives of Hindus and others. XIII. And it is hereby declared and enacted, that all Probates and Letters of Administration granted by any of Her Majesty's Courts in cases in which any assets belonging to deceased persons were, at the time of their deaths, within the jurisdiction of the Court granting the Probate or Letters of Administration, shall have the effect of Probate and Letters of Administration granted in respect of the property of persons whose personal property cannot by law pass to his personal representative without a Probate or Letters of Administration, but for the purpose of the recovery of debts only, and the security of debtors paying the same; except so far as is in this Act provided, and except that this Act shall not be construed to make the taking out of Probate or Letters of Administration necessary for succession to property in any case in which it is not now necessary.

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E. H. MADDOCK.

Secretary to the Government.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,

THE 23D NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 23d November 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT NO. XXII. OR 1840.

An Act for the punishment of Vagrants within the Towns of Calcutta and of Madras, and the Islands of Bombay and Colaba extorting Alms by offensive and disgusting exhibitions and practices.

I. Whereas great inconvenience is experienced in the Towns of Calcutta and of Madras, and in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba from Mendicants who endeavour to extort alms by offensive and disgusting exhibitions and practices;—

It is hereby enacted, that persons within the Town of Calcutta or of Madras or within the Islands of Bombay and Colaba who shall seek to extort alms by offensively exhibiting any bodily ailment or deformity, or by any offensive or indecent practices, or by inflicting, or threatening to inflict, bodily injury on themselves, shall be liable, on conviction before any Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment with or without labor for a term not exceeding one calendar month.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that all persons guilty a second time of any of the above offences, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment with hard labor for a term not exceeding twice the period assigned for the first offence, and for the same term upon any subsequent conviction.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that persons guilty of any of the offences above mentioned who shall violently resist any Peace Officer attempting to apprehend them, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment with or without hard labor for a term not exceeding three calendar months.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor General in Council from time to time, by notice in the Gazette, to extend the provisions of this Act to any town or districts besides the places specified in this Act.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,

THE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 30th November, 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT NO. XXIII. OR 1840.

An Act for extending within the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts Legal Process issued by authorities in the Mysore.

I. Whereas great inconvenience has been experienced, in consequence of the difficulty of procuring the attendance as witnesses before the Mysore Authorities of persons residing within the local limits of Her Majesty's Supreme Court, and, in consequence of justice being often frustrated by reason of persons and property within such limits being exempted from process issued by such Authorities, which has also occasioned inconvenience to the inhabitants within such limits, in suits in the Mysore Courts to which they are parties;—

It is hereby enacted, that any Writ, Warrant, or other Process issued by any Court, Judge, or Magistrate in the territories beyond the local limits of the Supreme Courts of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay respectively, may be executed within those limits in manner following.—A copy of such Writ, Warrant, or other Process authenticated as such by the attestation of the Court, Judge, or Magistrate issuing or having the same, accompanied by a certified Translation in the English language, shall be presented to any Judge of Her Majesty's Courts, who may thereupon, under his hand and signature, indorse and direct the same to be executed within the local limits of any of Her Majesty's Courts by the Sheriff or by any Justice of the Peace according to the nature of such Writ, Warrant or other Process.

II. And it is hereby provided, that upon the delivery of every such Writ, Warrant or Process so indorsed as aforesaid to any such Sheriff or Aforesaid, when such Sheriff shall make a memorandum of the same of such delivery, and shall present such Writ, Warrant or Process in like manner as if the same had originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts, and had been delivered at the

date as appearing by the memorandum; and such Sheriff shall make no distinction as to priority or otherwise between the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts, and the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process, under this Act. But every Writ, Warrant and other Process whether original or indorsed as aforesaid, shall, amongst each other, be subject to the same rules touching the mode and order of execution as are now established in respect of Writs, Warrants, and other Process originally issued from Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that every such Sheriff shall be liable to be proceeded against in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice for all matters touching the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed under this Act, in like manner as if the same had originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice. And all persons and property seized or detained under any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed by virtue of this Act shall be dealt with in like manner as if such persons or property had been seized or detained under the like Writ, Warrant or other Process issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that all persons disobeying or obstructing the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process indorsed under this Act, shall be punishable in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice, in like manner as if the same had issued from such Courts; Provided always that, in the case of process for the attendance of witnesses, Her Majesty's Courts shall be governed by the like rules touching expences and other matters as are established in regard to Subpoena issued from such Courts.

V. And it is hereby enacted, in the case of persons seized or detained by virtue of any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed under the authority of this Act by any Justice of the Peace or by any Sheriff, it shall be the duty of every such Sheriff or Justice of the Peace if so required by the indorsement of the Judge, to deliver the party in custody to such authority or person as shall be particularly specified in such indorsement, and who shall have been charged with the execution of the Writ, Warrant or other Process by the authority originally issuing the same, and for that purpose to cause the party in custody to be conveyed to any place within the Company's territories beyond the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts.

VI. And it is hereby provided, that in the case of any Writ, Warrant or other Process required to be indorsed under the authority of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Judge who shall be required to indorse the same, to remit the same for amendment to the authority issuing the same if the same shall appear to be defective in any matter of form.

VII. And it is hereby provided, that in the case of any Writ, Warrant or other Process required to be indorsed under the authority of this Act, for the seizure or detention of any person, it shall be lawful for the Judge who shall be required to indorse the same to direct by indorsement that bail (the amount and number of Sureties to be specified in such indorsement) may be taken; and for this purpose to call for such documents and to make such enquiry as he shall think proper.

VIII. And whereas it is expedient, that offenders sentenced by the Mysore authorities to imprisonment with or without hard labour, should be subjected to the most improved rules of prison-discipline, which cannot, in all cases, be conveniently done except in the prisons locally situated within the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, it is hereby enacted, that all Civil and Criminal Gaols and Houses of Correction within the jurisdiction of any of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, shall, according to the nature of the case, be liable to be used by the Sheriff for the purposes of this Act, and the parties imprisoned therein under the authority of this Act shall be liable to the prison-discipline thereof, and all sentences of imprisonment passed by any Judge, Court or Magistrate in the territories of the East India Company beyond the local limits of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, may be executed in whole or in part within any of the Gaols or Houses of Correction aforesaid, provided that a copy of the Warrant of Commitment or other Process authorizing the imprisonment be so indorsed as aforesaid, and such indorsement contain the necessary directions.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1308.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

The Honorable H. B. Deneux, Superintendent of the Mysore Division, Mysore, has obtained six weeks' leave of absence, to visit Madras, on urgent private affairs.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to Govt. of India.

**FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,**

The 23d November, 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the rate at which advances will be made, under authority of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, of Cash to Merchants on Bills of Exchange in favor of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, secured by the consignment of Goods, will, until further orders, be 2^o, and 2^o d. the Company's Rupee. In all other respects the Terms and Conditions of these advances will be the same as advertised under dates the 2d May, 1839, 27th November, 1839, and 4th March, 1840.

Published by order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal,

**G. A. BUSHBY,
Secty. to the Govt. of Bengal.**

**FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,**

The 2d December, 1840.

Messrs. J. H. Astell and H. M. Clarke having reported their return from China on the 26th November last, the remaining portion of the leave of absence granted to them, vizt. to the former on the 12th February 1840, for one year, and to the latter on the 22d April, for eight months, is cancelled from the date of their arrival.

**G. A. BUSHBY,
Secty. to the Govt. of India.**

No. 379.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE LIEUTENANT

GOVERNOR NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES,

GENERAL DEPARTMENT,

AGRA,

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

The 17th November, 1840.

The leave of absence granted to the Revd. R. P. Brooke, Chaplain of Kurnool, under Orders of 29th December last till February 1st 1840, is cancelled from the 1st proximo, at his own request.

AGRA,

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT,

The 19th November, 1840.

The Hon'ble the Lieut.-Governor has been pleased to make the following Appointments:

Mr. William Henry Benson to officiate as Judge of Mooradabad.

Mr. Henry Pidengk to officiate as Additional Sessions Judge of Rohilkund.

The following Officers have obtained leave of absence:

Lieut.-Colonel Frederick Young, Political Agent Deyrah Dhoon, from the 6th to the 20th instant, on his private affairs, with authority to make over charge of his duties to his Assistant Captain Fisher.

Mr. William Parry Okeden, Judge of Mooradabad, for one year, on Medical Certificate.

Mr. Henry Harrington Thomas, Judge of Benares, to the 1st December next, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 10th September last, to enable him to rejoin his Station.

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 19th November, 1840.

Mr. William Raikes Timias, Magistrate and Collector of Budaon, has obtained leave of absence to the 20th instant, in extension of the leave granted him in Orders of the 14th idem.

Mr. E. Thomas is appointed to officiate as Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Mirzapur.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

The 19th November.

Mr. J. Muir, Special Deputy Collector of Meerut, has obtained leave of absence for two months, to proceed to Calcutta in the event of his Furlough being allowed to commence from the date on which he may leave his Station.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT,

The 21st November, 1840.

The services of Mr. R. W. Faithfull, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Futtelpore, are placed, at his own request, at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

J. THOMASON,

Secty. to Govt. N. W. P.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 2d December, 1840.

No. 257 of 1840.—The undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers are admitted to the benefits of the Pension sanctioned by Minutes of Council of the 11th January 1797, and General Orders dated 5th February 1820, subject to the confirmation of the Honourable the Court of Directors, with permission to receive their stipends in Agra and Calcutta respectively, as specified opposite to their names:

Sergeant W. Hutton, Calcutta Town Guards, Agra.
Sergeant Major J. Kennedy, 9th Regiment N. I., Calcutta.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.

Secty. to the Govt. of India, Mil. Dept.

Letters received on date from and to.	By what Ships despatched	Bound to.	Remarks.	Mr. MOORE, Deputy Post Master.
19th November,	Northumberland,	Cape of Good Hope and London,	Left Town on the 1st inst.	
1st to 5th December,	Adelaide,	London,	Ditto 6th ditto.	
6th ditto,	Owen Glendower,	Dulio,	With 6th ditto.	
50th Nov. to 4th ditto,	Scotsman,	Sydney,	Left Town on the 5th ditto.	
5th ditto,	Adele Marquard,	Belle,	Ditto 6th ditto.	
5th Nov. and 1st ditto,	Enterprise,	Mauritius,	Ditto 6th ditto.	
2d to 6th ditto,	Falcons,	Ditto,	With 6th ditto.	
50th Nov. to 4th ditto,	Kitty,	Singapore,	Left Town on the 5th ditto.	
Ditto to 6th ditto,	Wm. Dampier,	Penang,	Ditto 6th ditto.	

LIST of Letters remaining at the Calcutta General Post Office, and which accumulated between the 1st of July and 30th of September 1840.

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Tyler, Esq. John.—M. D., Bengal Medical Service, Cape of Good Hope.

Tullock, Esq. J. C.—Doolaulgungs, and if not there to be forwarded to Mr. Spence's Hotel, Calcutta.

Truquill, Monsr. (2 Letters)—Capitaine de l' Indien chez Monsr. Scheratz and Le Blond Negr., Calcutta.

Teachers, Monsr. and Madame—Calcutta.

Trew, George—Gunner Hon'ble East India Company.
A. R. B. Dum Dum, Bengal.
Tammidge, Mr.—Steward Arachne, Messrs. Walker and Co., Calcutta.
Tarachand Chander Baboo—care of Baboo Siambodunder Surkhel or Baboo Duongaram Bisas, Paraghat, Benares.

U and V.

Vanderleet, Mr. J. P.—to the care of Mr. S. Masey, Serampore.

W.

Williams, Esq. Adulphus—Messrs. Alexander and Co., Calcutta, Bengal.
Wondhous, Lieut. Col. W.—Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope.
Wilson, Mr. David—to be left at the Post Office, Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope.
Wilson, Mr.—Superintendent of the Sailor's Home, Calcutta.
Woller, Mr. W.—Calcutta.
Wright, Mr. Geo. T.—on board the Elizabeth, Capt. Hamlin, care of Messrs. Eglinton, McLewin and Co., Merchants, Calcutta.
Wood, Esq. Thos.—care of Messrs. Colvin, Ainslie, Cowie and Co., Calcutta.
Webster, D. A. B.—Bengal Army, to wait his arrival from India at Cape of Good Hope.
Weeks, Mr. Jno. (2 Letters)—Mr. Mackenzie's Dock Yard, Sutkun, Calcutta.
Wilson, Mr. Jas.—Calcutta.
Wheeler, Mr. Joseph H. (2 Letters)—care of Mr. Ladd, Ice Godown, Banksball, Calcutta.
Walsh, Miss Mary—Chinsurah, Calcutta.
Ward, Mr. J.—Calcutta.
Wellington, G. T.—1st Troop 2d Brigade Horse Artillery, Dum Dum, Bengal.
Wrigglesworth, Corp. Joseph—Capt. Beres' Troop, H. M. 16th Lancers, Bengal, East India.
William, Wm.—Private No. 815, H. M. 16th Regt. Lancers, Murhan, or elsewhere, East Indies.
Walker, John—7th Company's, East India Company, Banister Barrack, England, or elsewhere, Bengal.
Wood, John—Prist, 10th Regt. Foot, Hazareobagh, Bengal.
Wright, John—Gunner 1st Company 2d Battalion of Artillery, East India, Dum Dum, Bengal, or elsewhere.
Wilson, Joseph, Private—12th Lancers, Fort William, Calcutta.
Wood, William—Private 52d Regt. of Foot, at Calcutta, Indies, or any where else.
Whall, Will—Private in the 66th Regt. of Foot, now laying at Lapuain, East Indies, or elsewhere.
Weeks, Mr. H. J.—in the Firm of Messrs. Tuttle and Charles, Benares.

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Yeoward, Mr. John R.—with the Lord Alsp
Wm. MOORE, Deputy Post Master,
Fort William, General Post Office, }
31st August, 1840.

NOTIFICATION.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council to dispatch a Steamer from hence to Suez, on Friday, the 1st of January 1841.

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,
(Signed) E. M. WILLOUGHBY, Major,
Acting Secretary to Government,
Bombay Castle, 10th Nov., 1840.

With reference to the above Notification, Notice is hereby given, that the latest safe date for the transmission of letters from Calcutta, which may be intended for despatch from Bombay by the January Steamer, will be the 17th of the ensuing month of December.

H. S. OLDFIELD,
Off. Post Master General.

Fort William, General Post Office, }
the 30th November, 1840.

OVERLAND LETTERS AND POSTAGE.

IT is hereby notified for general information—

First.—That all Letters and Newspapers, except Soldiers' and Sailors' Letters, intended for transmission by the Overland Mails, and except those specially marked "via Falmouth," will be sent through France, and thus be subject to the heavier rate of postage.

Second.—Letters and Newspapers addressed to France, as well as those to other foreign countries, with which France is the channel of communication (if the latter are expressly directed to be so sent) will be made up in Packets and sent to the French Post Master at Marseilles; but Letters for Foreign Countries, other than France, if not specially directed to France, will be included in the Packets for England—Letters, &c., for places lying between Boulogne and Marseilles, will be despatched in separate Packets.

Third.—Letters for the United Kingdom of Great Britain, weighing less than a quarter of an ounce, and passing through France, are charged single postage, which by that route amounts to 2s. 8d. By the Falmouth route, Letters of half an ounce in weight, are subject to single postage only, which by that route, has now been reduced to 1s.

Newspapers, if sent via Falmouth, are free of postage; but if transmitted by the way of Marseilles, they are charged 2d. each.

H. S. OLDFIELD,
Off. Post Master General.

Fort William, General Post Office, }
the 27th May, 1840.

GENERAL POST OFFICE NOTICE.

UNDER the orders of Government, the subjoined Notice to the Public of England, is promulgated for the information of the Public of India: and as the inconveniences described in that Notice, as arising out of the use of sealing wax, for closing letters, are equally experienced in India, it is strongly recommended that the use of wafers be universally adopted as suggested by the English Post Office Authorities.

H. S. OLDFIELD,
Off. Post Master General.

Fort William, General Post Office, }
the 2d November, 1840.

No. 9, 1840.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC AND INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL POST MASTERS AND LETTER RECEIVERS.

General Post Office, August 1840.

The practice of sealing letters passing to and from the East and West Indies, and other warm climates, with wax, is attended with much inconvenience, and frequently with serious injury to the letters, in consequence of the melting of the wax and adhesion of the letters to each other.

In the case of a Mail recently received from India, considerable delay was occasioned at this Office, and notwithstanding the greatest care was taken in separating the letters, which, owing to the cause already mentioned, adhered closely together, many were much damaged and torn: the Public are therefore recommended in all possible cases to use wafers in preference to wax in sealing their letters sent to India or other warm climates, and also to advise their correspondents in those countries to pursue the same course.

Post Masters are also enjoined to give every publicity to this caution.

By Command,

(Signed) W. L. MABERY, Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) G. A. BUSHBY,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True Copy.)

H. S. OLDFIELD,

Off. Post Master Genl.

NOTICE—The following Confiscated Goods will be sold by Public Auction, at this Office, on Thursday, the 10th December, 1840, by order of the Board of Customs, dated 3rd December, 1840:

9 Cases Sugar Candy, for exportation.
1 Bag Shell Lac.
26 Jars Dates.
1 Bundle Gunja.
16 Pieces Silk Piece Goods.
1 Cask Preserved Limes.
16 Pots Hullock.

R. WALKER,
Collector of Customs.

Calcutta Custom House, 3
the 5th December, 1840. §

NOTIFICATION.
FORT WILLIAM, OPIUM DEPARTMENT,

Tue 5th November, 1841.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 4th day of January 1841, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be put up to Sale, at the Exchange Room, at Calcutta, and sold by Public Auction, for Exportation by Sea, the undersigned Quantity of Opium, the Provision of 1839-40, subject to the following Conditions, viz.

Produce of Behar Age of Chests 4,000
Date of Benares Do. do 2,000
Total Chests, ... 6,000

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

- The Opium will be sold for Exportation by Sea only, and no Certificate will be granted except to cover such Export.
- The Opium to be offered for Sale is an upset Price of Rupees 400 per Chest, and to be all sold to the highest bidder above that price.
- If at the above Sale the entire quantity of 6,000 Chests shall not be sold, it shall subsequently be competent for the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, to dispose of the Lots which remain on hand at future Sales.
- Each Lot to contain Five Chests.
- A Deposit in a Promissory Note for 1,000 Rupees per Lot, or 200 Rupees per Chest, shall be made by the Purchaser in the Sale Room, and before the Lot is registered in the Sale Book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of Purchasers at this Office by Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or by substitution of other Public Securities of the Bengal Government, on or before 4 o'clock of the Afternoon of Friday, the 8th January 1841, or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the Lot or Lots for which no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or Deposit of other Public Securities as aforesaid, shall have been delivered in, shall be resold at such time or times, and under such Conditions of Resale as the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, shall see fit, and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such Resale, shall be borne and paid by the Defaulters, while any profit accruing from such Resale shall be forfeited to Government.
- The Promissory Notes taken on the day of Sale under the last mentioned Condition, if remaining unredeemed on the said 8th January 1841, will be placed in the hands of the Attorney to the Honourable Company for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.
- No Tender of Money, Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or Public Securities on account of Opium upon which the prescribed Deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the 8th January, will be afterwards accepted.
- The Opium now advertised for Sale, shall be paid for within One Calendar Month from the day of Sale, and in case any Lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the Cash Deposit of 1,000 Rupees per Lot, or 200 Rupees per Chest, or any Public Securities that may have been deposited on account of such Lots or Chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, shall think fit.
- Purchasers taking out Certificates or Orders for the delivery of Opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of Lots of their purchase which they may desire to be included in each Certificate or Order, and it is to be clearly understood that the Certificates or Orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other Certificates or Orders authorizing the deli-

very of single Lots, or of a different number of Lots or Chests, whether more or less than the number of Lots or Chests originally required to be included in such Certificate or Order.

10. No Sub-Treasurer's Receipts or Deposit of Public Securities under the fifth of the present Conditions, will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the Purchaser in the Sale Book, or his authorized Agent. The Receipt for such Deposit will be granted only in the name of such Purchaser, and the Public Securities deposited will be returned when the clearance has been made by the said Purchaser or his order.

11. The Officer Superintending the Sale on the part of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, is empowered to reject at his discretion the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand tender at the time's Deposit either in Bank of Bengal Notes, Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or other Government Securities equal to One Thousand Rupees per Lot (or Two Hundred Rupees per Chest,) on each Lot so bid for.

12. The Purchaser of any Lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession any number of Lots of the same Agency Opium to the extent of Fifty Lots; and for the Lots so purchased, the Purchaser shall deposit 1,000 Rupees per Lot, and pay the same price per Chest as that for which he purchased his first Lot, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of Lots of that Opium to complete the said Fifty, but not otherwise.

13. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter, or question arising out of the Sale of the Opium included in this Notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall, and may be tried and decided in the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, and all and every Plea and Pleas to the jurisdiction of the said Supreme Court shall be waived.

14. The following Papers, together with Samples of the Opium for Sale, will be exhibited for inspection on the day of Sale, or may be seen previously to that date, by application at the Office of the Secretary to the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium.

No 1. Certificate of the Opium now advertised for Sale.

No 2. Report of the examination of such Opium.

15. The Public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1839-40, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the Drug prepared and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the Drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a Statement of the average weight of Six Chests from each dispatch at Calcutta, may be seen on application at the Office of the Secretary to the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium.

16. Four Chests of Behar and Benares Opium which have been reserved from the provision of the two preceding years, will be also shown to the Purchasers on the day of Sale to enable them to judge of the state of preservation in which the Drug has kept.

17. The Public are hereby informed that in addition to the quantity aforesaid the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale this year on or about the dates specified below.

	Total
	Behar, Benares, Chests.
On or about Feb. 8th, about 1,400	700 about 2,100
On or about April 24th, about 3,000	1,500 about 4,500
On or about May 24th, about 1,100	700 about 2,100
On or about June 28th, about 2,400	1,200 about 4,120
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	4,610 4,120 — 12,829

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 8th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of his Majesty the King of the French, or Persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that one of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for Sale—at the five Sales in the months of January, February, April, May and June, these shall be delivered to them in the average of the particular Sale or Sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 Chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make

requisition for the whole of the Opium required by them during the year within 30 days after the publication of this Advertisement, specifying the particular Sale or Sales from which the quantity of Opium is intended to be taken. If the Agents of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time aforesaid, the entire quantity of about 18,829 Chests of Behar and Benares Opium ~~as above~~ estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner, and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertised for sale at each or any of the five Sales aforesaid, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Governor of Bengal reserves to himself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the Sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a Sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

ARTICLE.

Article of the Convention. "With regard to the Trade in Opium it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical Sales of that Article there shall be reserved for the French Government and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christian Majesty, or by the Persons duly appointed by them, the number of Chests so applied for, provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred Chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical Sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken into account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christian Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred Chests herein before mentioned—the requisitions for Opium as aforesaid are to be addressed to the Governor General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended Sales shall have been published in the Government Gazette."

By Order of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium,
W. BRACKEN, Off. Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that with the sanction of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, Tenders will be received at this Office on or before the 31st instant, at 12 o'clock, for the purchase of Mds. 819 of Cuttack Pungah Salt of 1232, to be sold in quantities of not less than lots of 250 maunds each, in satisfaction of Golah rent due, should the owners not previously appear and pay up the rent now due on their goods.

Intending purchasers are to satisfy themselves by personal inspection of the article ~~at~~ the Government Golahs at Sulke, — the Salt to be paid for and taken away within one week, after the tender shall have been accepted by the Superintendent of the Salt Golahs.

F. BOWRING,
Supt. of the Golahs.

Sulke Salt Golah, the 25th Novr. 1840.

সাহেবান আলিশান বোডি প্রসিট নমুক ও আ ক্লিয়ার আদমসুমারে সংবাদ দেওয়া হাইকোর্টে
বে আগামী ১১ ডিসেম্বর দিন। ১২ ঘটার সময়
পর্যন্ত সক ১২৩২ মালের মোগিয়ালী ৮১৯/ মোর
কটক পালা নমুক বিক্রয়ার্থে টেওর অঞ্চল বিক্রয়
সচক আবেদনপত্র অত আক্তিবে লওয়া হাইকোর্ট
গোলা ভাড়া আদায় কারণ অঞ্চল লাটি ২৫%
মোরের কম বিক্রয় কর। হাইকোর্ট বা অপর সাবেক
বিক্রিয়ার যথাপ্রয়োগে এই উপরের নিখিল নমুক
কেওপুর হে গোলা ভাড়া পাওয়া আছে তাহ। আ
বাইকোর করে বিক্রয় হাইকোর ন।

খরিস্তানের উচিত যে কয়ের পুরো বমকের
অমুনা অক্ষয়ি মোলার বেহে আর টেওর ক্লিয়া
সপ্তরেনটেগেট সাহেবের দারা হস্তি হাইকোর
এক হাফারের মালে টাকা দার্শিল করিয়া নমুক
বালাপ করিয়া দর ইতি সক ১৮৪০ মাল ভাড়ি
২৫ নমুকর

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undermentioned quantity of Mocha Salt is for Sale at the rate specified below. Purchasers to satisfy themselves as to the quality of the Salt in question by personal inspection of the Masters at the Government Golahs at Sulke, and the Rownahs first presented there to be entitled to the first delivery.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.

Agency.	Ghaut.	Year of Importation.	Quantity.	Price per 100 Mds.
Mocha Salt,.....	Sulke,.....	1840-41,	About Mds. 2000,	Co.'s Rs. 420.

Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, the 5th December, 1840.

H. TORRENS, Secretary.

একেবার দেওয়া হাইকোর বে নিচের নিখিল নমুক প্রদাতৃ বিক্রিয় দরে বিক্রয়ার্থে এক
জ আছে বিক্রিয়ার উচিত যে এ বেমকের রকম মো. ১০ আলিশান মোলার বেমুন। সূচৈ বাড়িয়ার মত
বুধিয়। এবিহ করে আর হে বাড়ি মোকাম স্বত্ত্বে অথবে রওয়ানা বাড়িগ করিবেক হাইকোর
পাইলা কুজু পাইবার দেওয়া হাইকোর।

বেমকের বেওয়া—

বেমকের অংশ। বেমুন দার।	বাটোর নাম।	কোর দারের নামহৰণ।	মত্তয়ালী বেমক	নিখিল দর কি ১০% মোন
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বোক প্রসিট বেমক ও আবিস ইতি সক ১৮৪০ মাল ভাড়ির নিখিল

H. TORRENS, Secretary

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Matters of the Petition and Schedule (the same having been filed in the Court,) of

Chundercoosmar Mitter,

of Simla, in Calcutta, Bazaar, and now a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of Calcutta, will be heard on Saturday, the 9th day of January 1841, at the hour of 11 o'Clock in the forenoon.

“No Creditor will be allowed at the Hearing to oppose the discharge of a Prisoner, unless he shall have given notice of his intention to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of Hearing.”

Office of Examiner, 8th December, 1840.

Mr. Bedell, Atty.

কলিকাতার কোর্টের কর্তৃপক্ষের পত্র
আবার্থে আবালত

একদারী ধরে দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে এই আদা
লতে মৌখিকভাবে আবেদন ও কলের বিষয় নিচের
নামিত

চতুর্ভুবন পিতা

কলিকাতার পিতৃলা নিবাসি মুকুদী এবং
একেন কলিকাতার জেলের এক কয়েকটি পন
১৮৪১ সালের জেনায়ারি মাহার ২ শক্রিয়া
তারিখে বেলা ১১ ঘটোর, মধ্য সূর্যাবি হইবেক

কে “কোন মহোদয় আপত্তি করিতে পারা
বেন নহি শালামিতে কোন কয়েকটি স্বাক্ষি
সূর্যাবি বিয়মিত দিবসের পূর্বে পুর্ণ দিবস
পারিতে তাহার মাজসের সংবাদ চিপ কেনাক
সাহেবের আকিসে রাখেন”

একজামিনর সাহেবের আকিস

সন ১৮৪০ সাল ৮ ডিসেম্বর

মে. বিডেল উকিস

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the matters of the Petition and Schedule (the same having been filed in the Court,) of

Kintsoorun Munshi,

of Casasoparab, in Calcutta, Dealer in Rice, and now a prisoner for debt in the Gaol of Calcutta, will be heard on Saturday, the 9th day of January 1841, at the hour of 11 o'Clock in the forenoon.

“No Creditor will be allowed at the Hearing to oppose the discharge of a prisoner unless he shall have given Notice of his intention to the Chief Clerk, three clear days before the day of Hearing.”

Office of Examiner, 4th December, 1840.

Mr. Stretell, Atty.

কলিকাতার কোর্টের পত্রিকার পত্রিকা
পার্শ্ব আবালত

একদারী ধরে দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে এই আদা
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নামিত

কৃষ্ণোদয় পণ্ডি

কলিকাতার কাশি পাড়া বিহারি চাইল
ব্যাপারি এবং একেন কলিকাতার জেলের এক
কর্মসূচী সন ১৮৪১ সালের জানুয়ারি মাহার ২
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সাহেবের আকিসে রাখেন”

একজামিনর সাহেবের স্বত্ত্বান্বয়

সন ১৮৪০ সাল ৮ ডিসেম্বর

মে. ইন্ডোটেল উকিস

NOTICE.—The Public are hereby informed, under orders of Government, dated 20th January, 1839, that excavations, surrounded with fences, and having lights at night, are in progress in the undermentioned Thoroughfares in the Town of Calcutta.

Lower North Division.

Champatollah Lane, North side in front of Houses, Nos. 30 and 31, Postah Wall to be commenced and will be fenced in accordingly.

Portuguese Church Street will be closed against Carriages.

Portuguese Church Street, a Tunnel to be constructed; it will be necessary to close the entrances to the Street, with a strong fence between Moorgabba Street and a Lane branching from the west side of Portuguese Church Street

Lower North and Upper North Divisions.

Chittapore Road: West side: from Moorgabba Street to opposite Dwarkeynath Tagore's Lane—Aqueduct to be built.

R. J. ROSE,
Offg. Sept. Conservancy.

NOTICE.

WANTED a Treasurer in the Judge's Civil Court of Zillah Mymensing, Salary 25 Rupees per month, Security required 2500 Rupees, verifiable and good. Two or three real Landholders, not nominal or men of straw, would be preferred.

Bidon a Nazir for the Judge's Court, same Salary, same Security, if the above Functionaries be trustworthy so much the better.

W. ONSLOW,
Offg. Judge.

Zillah Mymensing, the 1st Decr. 1840.

WANTED a Treasurer in the Office of the Collector of Dacca, salary per month 50 Rs., unexceptional security to the value of Rs. 30,000 will be required.

R. M. SKINNER,
Offg. Collr.
Zillah Dacca Collectorate, }
the 2d Decr. 1840. }

NOTICE.

IT is particularly requested that all letters for the Collector of Behar may be addressed to him at Gaya, as since the Establishment of a branch Post Office at Behar, distant upwards of 40 miles from Gaya, great delay is experienced in the receipt of letters at the Collectorate of Behar.

H. C. HAMILTON,
Collector of Zillah Behar.

Behar Collectorate, Gaya, }
the 3d December, 1840. }

NOTICE.

WANTED a Treasurer for the Salt Agency Office of Tumlock, Salary per mensem Rupees 40. Security to the value of Fifty Thousand Rupees will be required. It is not necessary that the applicant knows Persian, he must be a good Accountant, and be well acquainted with the Bengalee language, and if he understands English so much the better.

A. C. BARWELL,
Acting Agent, T.D.

Tumlock Salt Office, }
the 3d December, 1840. }

**NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah
Marschedabad, on Thursday, the 14th December 1840, or 1st Poos 1247, B. S.**

Names of Mehalas to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which they are situated, and number of the Lot in the Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietors.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest up to Sept. 1840.	Remarks.
1. Ph. Coowurpertaub,	{ Raja Kishen Chand Sing, &c.	182647 9 6	32026 6 7	This Land produces Indigo, Mulberry, Paddy, and Sugar Cane.
2. Hooda Ecooree, &c.	Ditto,	105428 8 11	12937 2 11	Ditto.
3. Kist. Ph. Casseepoor,	Doorgapershul, &c.	8070 12 5	1944 4 10	Ditto.
The abovementioned Estates are still under Butwarra.				
1. Kist. Ph. Roenpoor,	Seetanath Sandial,	69762 12 11	12585 9 7	Ditto.
4. Hooda Sekhdoopoor,	Hooda Debya, &c.	9848 11 4	354 11 7	Ditto.
9. Hooda Poorosutumbanty,	Shibnarain Ghose,	8356 8 2	1167 8 11	Ditto.
11. Hooda Pultkabanty,	Mash Murjan, &c.	11380 4 8	1209 9 8	Ditto.
25. Dihes Gunkur Churka, ...	{ Brindabunshahre Ta- kour, Sevt. Hijoysgo- bind, &c.	14886 12 10	2346 5 4	Ditto.
30. Kist. Ph. Dyanugger,	Finger Dollah Chowtree, &c.,	6580 12 8	1092 5 8	Ditto.
325. Turf Moonesah Dihes, ...	Mohes Chunder, &c.,	12916 4 8	1605 9 11	Ditto.

* The right and interest of Rance Unnopoornah will be sold.

Marschedabad, Collector's Office, the 30th November, 1840.

PIERCE TAYLOR, Collector.

**NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah
Jessore, on the 16th day of December 1840 next, corresponding with 3d Poos 1247 B. S.**

Name of Mehal to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest and Penalty.	Remarks.
Pergh. Dantee, &c. No. 1,	{ Esur Chunder Paul } Chowtree, &c.,	47322 5 6	6238 1 0	Indigo, Date Trees, Sugar, and all kinds of Grains are produced on this Mehal.
Turf Joradul, No. 3, Pergh. Mahomedshye,	Rajeebchurn Roy, &c., ...	5894 11 8	1260 11 8	Ditto.
Turf Kudiarosh, Pergunnah Mahomedshye, No. 4, ...	Ramkanya Deh Roy, &c., ...	8285 2 11	845 14 4	Ditto.
Pergunnah Santore, No. 7, ...	Esur Chunder Paul Chowtree,	42633 7 5	4767 11 6	Ditto.

Zillah Jessore, Collector's Office, the 27th November, 1840.

D. TURNBULL, Offy. Collector.

**NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah
Jessore, on the 16th day of December 1840 next, corresponding with 3d Poos B. S.**

Name of Mehal to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest and Penalty.	Remarks.
Pergh. Esauipoor Aummec- rabad, No. 2,	{ Esur Chunder Nundee, } Puttan Baemola Domes, ...	14994 15 11	3566 4 1	Indigo, Date Trees, Sugar and all kinds of Grains are produced on this Mehal.
Pergh. Bmadpore, No. 3, ...	Woodychand Aundee, &c.,	6857 2 11	145 11 11	Ditto.
Kismut Pergh. Hoogha, &c., No. 4,	Radumohun Ghose,	9324 2 9	1928 2 4	Ditto.
Pergunnah Mahomedshye, Hissa 6 As. 8 Gds. No. 5, Do. Do., Hissa 3 As. 4 Gds., No. 6,	{ Turnee Churn Basnerjee, } &c.,	47370 12 11	460 2 8	Ditto.
Pergh. Nundee, &c., No. 7, ...	Ditto,	34149 1 3	2336 6 6	Ditto.
Pergh. Ranchaderport, No. 8,	Shreesharin Sing,	71211 11 8	7554 11 1	Ditto.
Pergh. Syedpore, No. 10, ...	{ Kalesanth Roy, &c., } Rajah Bardekanth Roy,	18454 2 4	4005 6 1	Ditto.
		40182 2 2	1780 5 2	Ditto.

Zillah Jessore, Collector's Office, the 27th November, 1840.

D. TURNBULL, Offy. Collector.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrests of Revenue, unless immediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Jessore, on the 16th day of December 1840 next, corresponding with 3d Poona 1247 B. S.

Name of Mahal to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Annual Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest and Penalty.	Remarks.
Pergunnah Chingoota, No. 1,	Gopallal Tagore,	20824 5 9	5160 15 10	Indigo, Date Trees, Sugar, and all kinds of Grains are produced on this Mahal.
Pergh. Noonnuggur, No. 8,	Ditto,	5572 5 6	1086 9 8	Ditto.

Zillah Jessore, Collector's Office, the 27th November, 1840.

D. TURNBULL, Offg. Collector.

NOTICE.

SUNDRY Effects of the late GREGORY HERKLOTS, Junior, Esq., Uncovenanted Deputy Collector at Jessore, are under the Seal of this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally authorized to administer them.

HENRY SWETENHAM, Judge.

Zillah Jessore, Downing Adasut, the 25th November, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of RANALD MACDONALD, formerly an Indigo Planter, in the District of Kishnaghur, in the Province of Bengal, and last of Calcutta, Merchant, (who left Calcutta a passenger on board the vessel *Lonach*, which sailed from Calcutta on or about the 8th day of November, 1839, bound on a voyage to Swan River and other ports in New Holland, and which said vessel as (it is supposed) has foundered at sea and being lost, together with her crew and passengers), has been this day granted by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to JAMES PELHAM MCKILLIGIN, of Calcutta, Esquire, a Member of the firm of MESSRS. COLVILLE, GILMORE AND CO., of the same place, Merchants and Agents, and ALEXANDER DONALD MACLEOD, of Calcutta aforesaid, Esquire, a Member of the firm of MESSRS. MACLEOD, FAGAN AND CO., of the same place, Merchants and Agents, two of the Executors in the said Will named. All persons having demands against the Estate of the said deceased, are requested to make the same known to the said Executors, to whom all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make payment of their respective Debts without delay.

WIGHT AND THOMAS,

Proctors.

No. 1, Larkins' Lane, Calcutta, 2d of Dec. 1840.

LOST

At Cawnpore on the 29th April, 1840,

A GOVERNMENT 4 per Cent. PROMISSORY NOTE, No. 1223 of 7499 of 1835-36, for Rs. 1,000, the property of Baboo Koojoll and Boyejonath Shroffs, of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Company's 4 per Cent. Paper No. 192 of 4687 of 1832-33, for Rs. 1400, has been lost by Radhapersaud Bysack, on the 16th day of July 1839, the property of Tarachand Bhattacharya.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Public, that on the 4th November, 1836, two pieces of Company's Paper, No. 11570 for 700 Rs. and 11852 for 800 Rs. (being 1500 Sicca Rupees,) having been lost or stolen from within a Box, a reward will be given, if required, to the party finding and restoring the same to Jaggomohun Dose.

BANK OF BENGAL,

21st NOVEMBER, 1840.

UNDER the XIII. Section of the Charter (Act VI. of 1839,) a Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at the Bank on Monday, the 14th December next at Ten A. M., to elect two Directors to be in the room of James Colquhoun and John Cowie, Esquires, who will go out of the Direction, by rotation, on the said 14th December.

The Poll will close at 3 p. m.

Published by Order of the Directors,

T. BRACKEN,

Secy. to the Bank.

BENGAL MILITARY FUND.

IN conformity to the 26th and 27th Articles of the Regulations, a General Meeting of the Subscribers of the Military Fund will be held, at the Military Fund Office, on Wednesday, the 27th January 1841, at 10 o'Clock in the forenoon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the inspection and approval of Accounts of the Fund, and of the proceedings of the Directors of the past year.

After the disposal of the above business, the Meeting will be declared special for the consideration, under Article 32, of the recent Propositions from 53 Subscribers at Meerut, as submitted to the Army in the Circular from the Directors, No. 487 of the 25th September 1840.

J. W. J. OUSELEY, President.

Fort William, Military Fund Office, 12th October, 1840.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. Alexander Ross, in our Firm, ceased from the 1st August 1840.

Mr. Robert John Daring is admitted a Partner in our Firm from the 1st September 1840.

HAMILTON & CO.

4th December, 1840.

Book just Published,

And for Sale at the Bengal Military Orphan Press, Calcutta.

A CATECHISM

FOR THE

Inquisition of Communicants in the nature and uses of the Sacrament of our Lord's Supper, and in the Doctrines and Duties connected with that Ordinance. To which is added, a Sacramental Address.

By ANDREW THOMSON, D. D.

late Minister of St. George's Church, Edinburgh.

Price 1 Rupee.



The Calcutta Gazette.

Published by Authority.

It is requested that Government Notifications for the Calcutta Gazette, of any length, may be sent to the Press before Noon of Friday, and those of a few lines only before 5 P. M. of that day.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1840.

FORT WILLIAM,

GENERAL DEPARTMENT, 26th JUNE, 1832.

All Public Officers of Government sending Advertisements to the *Calcutta Gazette* for Publication, are hereby directed to make them as short as possible, and to specify always how many times the Advertisement shall be repeated.

By Order of the Hon'ble the Vice President in Council,

H. T. PRINSE, Secy. to the Govt.

FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

The 19th November, 1838.

The following revised Terms and Conditions for making Advances in India and China upon Goods and Merchandise consigned to England are published for general information, also the following paragraphs 5 and 6 of the despatch of the Hon'ble Court of Directors, dated 17th August, prescribing the same for future observance:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

FOR
MAKING ADVANCES IN INDIA AND CHINA,
UPON

The Goods and Merchandise of Individuals intended for Consignment to England, re-payable to the Court of Directors of the East India Company.

1st.—The parties to whom Advances may be made shall agree that the respective Consignments be delivered in such Warehouses as the Court of Directors may approve; and that they be subject to the control of the Court of Directors until the lien of the Company upon the Consignment shall have been satisfied.

2d.—Upon each Consignment, the value of which is to be ascertained by the Officers of the Indian Government, or Authorized Agents of the East India Company, an Advance not exceeding three-fifths of such ascertained value will be made.

3d.—For re-payment of the Advance, Bills of Exchange to be drawn in triplicate, at six months sight, made under the Court's order.

4th.—For Company's Re-ports for Advances made at..... Bengal.
Ditto..... Madras.
Ditto..... Bombay.
For Spanish Dollar Ditto..... China.
5th.—The Parties will be required to place in the hands of the Board of Customs, Bengal, Madras, " Bills of Lading of the Consignment and Policies of Insurance effected thereon, both in triplicate. The Bills of Lading must be drawn

deliverable to the East India Company, or endorsed to the order of the East India Company. The Policies of Insurance must be effected in the name and on behalf of the East India Company, as the Parties interested, or endorsed to their order; but persons desirous of effecting the necessary Insurance in this Country, and of depositing the Policies in the Company's Treasury, will be allowed to do so.

5th.—In case of default being made either in acceptance, or payment of the Bills, the Court of Directors to be authorized, in such manner and at such times as they may see fit to sell the Goods, for the purpose of re-paying the Company the amount of the Advances made thereon, including Freight and any other charges or expenses which the Company may have incurred on account of the Consignment, together with interest, should any have accrued; the Company, on the other hand, allowing discount, where any part of the proceeds shall be realized before the Bills fall due, and the settlement of either surplus or deficiency shall be made with the Consignor; and if in India or China by the Government or Agents from whom he received the Advance, in the rate of exchange at which the Company may at the time be drawing Bills upon such Government or Agents.

6th.—An Agent in England shall be appointed for each Consignment, to whom the Court of Directors shall be empowered to make over the Goods, subject to all the conditions agreed upon with the Company, on payment of the Bills; and with whom they shall be authorized to transact generally all business relating to such Goods. The Consignor shall be at liberty to make provision, in case of the Party upon whom the Bill is drawn, (being also the Agent) having failed to accept the Bill, for the substitution of another Agent.

7th.—After the arrival of the Goods in England and when they shall have been placed in such deposit as may have been agreed upon, the Agent may be put into possession of them before the Bills become due, upon the amount of such Bills (less discount) being paid, together with the Freight and any other charges and expenses which the Company have paid or may be subject to on account of the Goods.

8th.—The rate of Discount to be allowed by the Company shall be the same as that charged by the Bank of England; and in case where interest shall have accrued, such interest shall be computed at the rate or rates per cent. at which the Company have allowed Discount during the period for which such interest is chargeable.

9th.—Parties or their Agents will be required to insure the Goods from fire, and deposit the Policies with the East India Company; such Insurance to take effect from the date of the termination of the Sea risk. Should however the Parties or their Agents fail to effect such Insurance, the East India Company shall be at liberty to insure the Goods, the expense of which shall be reimbursed to them previously to their taking over the Goods to those Parties or their Agents.

10th.—Parties receiving Advances, to address in each instance a Letter in quadruplicate to the Court of Directors, according to a form which will be furnished by the Officers of Government (or authorized Agents of the East India Company), signifying their assent to all the foregoing conditions, but more particularly for the purpose of expressly authorizing the sale of the Goods by the Company (without either notice to or concurrence of any person whatsoever) at any period after default shall be made either in acceptance or payment of the Bills; also authorizing, in such cases, the re-paying to the Company the Advances made, either principal or interest, together with any other charges or expenses which the Company may have incurred in respect of the Goods, and appointing the Agent in England for each transaction.

Extract of a Dispatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors in the Financial Department, dated the 17th August, No. 13 of 1838.

5.—In future we desire that you will restrict your Advances to the great staple Articles of Indian Produce, Cotton, Silk, Sugar, Coffee, Indigo, Salt Peter and Piece Goods—and further that no Advance be made upon any Consignment the ascertained value of which shall be less than 5,000 Rupees.

6.—Several Packages of Tobacco upon which you have made Advances have been seized by the Officers of Customs, in consequence of their having been imported in illegal Packages.—Extracts from the Arts 3 and 4, Will 4, Cap. 52, Sec. 38, and 6th and 7th Will 4, Cap. 60, Sec. 4, relating to the Article of Tobacco, are transmitted in the Packet.

Published by Order of the Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council,

H. T. PRINCE,
Secty. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 23D NOVEMBER, 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the rate at which advances will be made, under authority of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, of Cash to Merchants on Bills of Exchange in favor of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, secured by the consignment of Goods, will, until further orders, be 2s. and 2d. the Company's Rupee. In all other respects the Terms and Conditions of these advances will be the same as advertised under dates the 2d May, 1838, 27th November, 1839, and 4th March, 1840.

Published by order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal,

G. A. BUSHBY,
Secty. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 200.

FORT WILLIAM,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 9TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. H. M. Clarke, of the Civil Service, late upon the China Establishment, is permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 10TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The Reverend Richard Chambers, Chaplain of Agra, is permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough, under Medical Certificate, with the option of retiring from the Service.

G. A. BUSHBY,
Secty. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,

THE 20TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 8th November, 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

Act No. XXIII. of 1840.

An Act for creating within the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts Legal Process issued by authorities in the Mofussil.

I. Whereas great inconvenience has been experienced, in consequence of the difficulty of procuring the assen-

dance as witnesses before the Mofussil Authorities of persons resident within the local limits of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, and, in consequence of justice being often frustrated by reason of persons and property within such limits being exempted from process issued by such Authorities, which has also occasioned inconvenience to the inhabitants within such limits, in suits in the Mofussil Courts to which they are parties;—

It is hereby enacted, that any Writ, Warrant, or other Process issued by any Court, Judge, or Magistrate in the territories beyond the local limits of the Supreme Courts of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay respectively, may be executed within those limits in manner following—A copy of such Writ, Warrant, or other Process authenticated as such by the signature of the Court, Judge, or Magistrate issuing or issuing the same, accompanied by a certified translation in the English language, shall be presented to any Judge of Her Majesty's Courts, who may thereupon, under his hand and signature, indorse and direct the same to be executed within the local limits of any of Her Majesty's Courts by the Sheriff, or by any Justice of the Peace according to the nature of such Writ, Warrant or other Process.

II. And it is hereby provided, that upon the delivery of every such Writ, Warrant or Process so indorsed as aforesaid to any such Sheriff as aforesaid, every such Sheriff shall make a memorandum of the date of such delivery, and shall execute such Writ, Warrant or Process in like manner as if the same had originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts and had been delivered at the date as appearing by the memorandum; and such Sheriff shall make no distinction as to priority or otherwise between the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts, and the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process, under this Act. But every Writ, Warrant and other Process whether original, or indorsed as aforesaid, shall, amongst each other, be subject to the same rules touching the mode and order of execution as are now established in respect of Writs, Warrants, and other Process originally issued from Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that every such Sheriff shall be liable to be proceeded against in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice for all matters touching the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed under this Act, in like manner as if the same had originally issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice. And all persons and property seized or detained under any Writ, Warrant or Process executed by virtue of this Act shall be dealt with in like manner as if such persons or property had been seized or detained under the like Writ, Warrant or other Process issued from any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that all persons disobeying or obstructing the execution of any Writ, Warrant or other Process indorsed under this Act, shall be punishable in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice, in like manner as if the same had issued from such Courts; Provided always that, in the case of process for the attendance of witnesses, Her Majesty's Courts shall be governed by the like rules touching expenses and other matters as are established in regard to Subpoenas issued from such Courts.

V. And it is hereby enacted, in the case of persons seized or detained by virtue of any Writ, Warrant or other Process executed under the authority of this Act by any Justice of the Peace or by any Sheriff, it shall be the duty of every such Sheriff or Justice of the Peace if so required by the indorsement of the Judge, to deliver the party in custody to such authority, or persons as shall be particularly specified in such indorsement, and who shall have been charged with the execution of the Writ, Warrant or other Process by the authority originally issuing the same, and for that purpose to cause the party in custody to be conveyed to any place within the Company's territories beyond the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts.

VI. And it is hereby provided, that in the case of any Writ, Warrant or other Process required to be indorsed under the authority of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Judge who shall be required to indorse the same to direct by indorsement that bail (the amount and number of Sureties to be specified in such indorsement) may be taken; and for this purpose to call for such documents and to make such enquiry as he shall think proper.

VII. And it is hereby provided, that in the case of any Writ, Warrant or other Process required to be indorsed under the authority of this Act, for the seizure or detention of any person, it shall be lawful for the Judge who shall be required to indorse the same to direct by indorsement that bail (the amount and number of Sureties to be specified in such indorsement) may be taken; and for this purpose to call for such documents and to make such enquiry as he shall think proper.

VIII. And whereas it is expedient, that offenders sentenced by the Mofussil authorities to imprisonment with or without hard labour, should be subjected to the most improved rules of prison discipline, which cannot, in all cases, be conveniently done except in the prisons locally situated within the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, it is hereby enacted, that all Civil and Criminal Courts and Offices of Government within

the jurisdiction of any of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, shall, according to the nature of the case, be liable to be used by the Sheriff for the purposes of this Act, and the parties imprisoned therein under the authority of this Act shall be liable to the prison-discipline thereof, and all sentences of imprisonment passed by any Judge, Court or Magistrate in the territories of the East India Company beyond the local limits of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts, may be executed in whole or in part within any of the Gaols or Houses of Correction aforesaid, provided that a copy of the Warrant of Commitment or other Process authorizing the imprisonment be so indorsed as aforesaid, and such indorsement contain the necessary directions.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1539.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Lieutenant Colonel J. Low, Resident at Lucknow, reported his arrival at this Presidency on the 27th ultimo, en route to his Station from leave of absence to the Cape of Good Hope.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1540.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Captain J. D. Shakespear, 2d Assistant to the Resident at Lucknow, reported his arrival at the Presidency on the 27th November last, on his return from leave of absence to the Cape of Good Hope.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1559.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Lieutenant G. Haines, Junior Assistant to the Commissioner at Mysore, has obtained leave of absence until the 1st of November 1841, to proceed to the Nilgerry Hills, for the benefit of his health.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1570.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Lieutenant and Adjutant G. Verner, of the Sylhet Light Infantry Battalion, has been appointed to officiate as Assistant to the Political Agent Cossayah Hills, during the absence of Mr. Henry Ingilis on leave.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1580.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Major A. Clarke, 1st Assistant to the Commissioner at Mysore, has obtained fifteen days' leave of absence, commencing from the 12th January next, to proceed to Madras, on urgent private affairs.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India,

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

(No. 1581.)

Orders of the Right Honorable the Governor of Bengal.

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to make the following Appointment:

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. M. Chow to be a Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1838, under the Deputy Collector of Dacca.

The following Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Stations:

Captain G. Ellis, Revenue Surveyor in Assam, for four months, from the 1st ultimo, under Medical Certificate.

Baboo Ram Nursing Mokerjen, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1838 in Jezore, in extension, for four weeks, under Medical Certificate.

THE 8TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. R. M. Farquharson, Special Deputy Collector of Patna, for one month, on private affairs.

Mr. H. Stainforth, Civil and Session Judge of Sylhet, for one month, under Section 5 of the Rules of the 29th January 1840.

The leave of absence granted on the 20th of October last to Mr. E. P. Harrison, while exercising powers of Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Midnapore and Hidjellee, has been cancelled at his own request.

The Right Honorable the Governor has been pleased to make the following Appointment:

Jye Singh, Native Doctor of the 47th Regt. N. I., to be Native Doctor to the Deorwany Jail at Patna, in succession to the late incumbent.

NOTIFICATION.

Mr. W. Taylor made over charge of the Treasury at Central Cuttack to Mr. O. W. Malet on the 9th ultimo.

FRED. JAS. HALLIDAY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 394.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE LIEUT.
GOVERNOR NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT,

AGRA,

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

THE 21ST NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. E. A. Rende, Magistrate and Collector of Gorakhpur, has obtained one month's leave of absence from the 1st proximo, on his private affairs. Mr. Rende has been authorized to make over charge of the duties of his office to Mr. William Francis Thompson, the Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector.

SEPARATE—REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

THE 23RD NOVEMBER, 1840.

Two months' leave of absence has been granted to Mr. W. R. Money, Officiating Collector of Customs, Agra, on urgent private affairs, from the 25th instant.

Mr. E. H. Morland, Civil Auditor N. W. P., to officiate for that Officer during his absence.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

THE 25TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. G. F. Edmonstone has been deputed to Panepur for Settlement purposes.

Messrs. R. M. Morgan and W. Muir have been placed at the disposal of the Sudder Board of Revenue for Settlement purposes in the Province of Bundelcund.

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

THE 27TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. James Bentham Mill to exercise the powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Mozaffar-naggar, till further orders.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

The Revd. J. J. Carsbore is appointed Chaplain of Cawnpore.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. F. O. Wells, Accountant N. W. P., having resumed his duties on the 22d instant, the remaining portion of the leave of absence granted to him in Orders of the 8th August last, is cancelled.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 30TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. J. Campion, Additional Principal Sudder Amoof of Benares, has obtained four months' leave of absence, on Medical Certificate.

J. THOMASON,
Secretary to Govt. N. W. P.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE
THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA
IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 9th December, 1840.

No. 258 of 1840.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following Promotions:

26th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Augustus Jacob Vanrenen to be Lieutenant, from the 25th November, 1840, vice Lieutenant Thomas Caldecott Walker deceased.

The undermentioned Officers of the Infantry are promoted to the rank of Captain by Brevet, from the date expressed opposite to their names:

14th Regt. N. I., Lieut. Fredk. Mackenzie, 4th December, 1840.
4th ditto ditto, Chas. Pat. tenson,

Surgeon James Atkinson, of the Medical Department, is appointed a Superintending Surgeon on the Establishment, for the augmentation.

Surgeon William Atherland Stiven, of the Medical Department, is directed to officiate as a Superintending Surgeon, during the absence from India of a Superintending Surgeon King and Atkinson, or until further orders.

The undermentioned Officers have returned overland to their duty on this Establishment, without prejudicial to their rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.—Date of their arrival at Bombay, 22d November, 1840.

Lieutenant William Hutton Tweedale, of the 6th Regiment Light Cavalry.

Lieutenant Charles Hagart, of the 52d Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain and Brevet Major Jas. William Douglas, of the 32d Regiment N. I., First Assistant to the Resident at Indore, is permitted to retire from the Service of the East India Company, on the Pension of a Colonel, from the 1st January, 1841, in conformity to Regulation of the 29th December, 1837.

Lieutenant William Maitland Roberts, of the 20th Regiment N. I., is permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough, on account of his private affairs.

Conductor Edward Townsend, of the Department of Public Works, having been declared incapable of performing the active duties of his profession, in his own request, transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mili. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 9th December, 1840.

No. 259 of 1840.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following Appointments:

Colonel T. H. Paul, of the 20th Regiment N. I., at present employed as a Brigadier, to be a Brigadier of the 2d Class on the Establishment, from the 27th ultimo, vice Reid who has embarked for Europe on Furlough.

Lieutenant Colonel G. Williamson, of the 19th Regiment N. I., to be a Brigadier of the 2d Class on the Establishment, vice Major General Johnston, C. B., whose period of service on the Brigade Staff terminated on the 27th ultimo.

Lieutenant Colonel M. C. Webber, of the 17th Regiment N. I., is appointed temporarily a Brigadier of the 2d Class, with a view to his employment in a Line Command.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.

Secy. to the Govt. of India Mili. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 9th December, 1840.

No. 260 of 1840.—Lieutenant Colonel William Gordon Mackenzie, of the 24th Regiment N. I., is permitted to retire from the service of the East India Company, on the Pension of his rank, from the 19th September last.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to make the following Promotions and Alteration of Rank:

Infantry.

Major William Martin to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Lieutenant Colonel W. M. Mackenzie retired, with rank from the 7th November, 1840, vice Lieutenant Colonel R. Chalmers deceased.

57th Regiment N. I.

Captain and Brevet Major Edward Herring to be Major, Lieut. and Brevet Captain Leland Hone (deceased) to be Captain of a Company, ...

From the 7th November, 1840, in succession to Major Wm. Martin promoted.

Lieut. and Brevet Captain Wm. Moultrie to be Captain of a Company, ...

From the 11th November, 1840, in succession to Captain L. Hone deceased.

Ensign George Cliffe Hatch to be Lieutenant, ...

ALTERATION OF RANK.

Corps.	Rank and Name.	To rank from.	In whose room.
Infantry,	Lieut. Col. M. Ram- sey,		
24th Regt. N. I.	Major L. N. Bird,	19th Sept. 1840,	{ Lt. Col. W. G. Mackenzie retired.
Ditto,	Capt. F. Mackintosh, Ditto,		
Ditto,	Lieut. J. Wardlow,		
Ditto,	Lieut. A. Carrington,	2d Oct. 1840, ...	{ For the aug- mentation, Lt. L. Hone (deceased) promoted.
57th ditto,	Lieut. R. Reynolds,	7th Nov. 1840,	

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.,

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mili. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 9th December, 1840.

No. 261 of 1840.—Lieutenant and Brevet Captain John Richard Lomden, of the 63d Regiment Native Infantry, Senior Assistant to the Commissioner of Arcane, at Aeng, obtained in the Judicial and Revenue Department, on the 6th October last, leave of absence from his Station, for three months, from the 21st ultmo. Lieutenant John Richard Abbott, of the 12th Regiment N. I., Judicial Assistant, was, at the same time, directed, during this interval, to officiate as Principal, and Assistant Surgeon Edward William Claribut, as Junior Assistant at Akyab; the latter continuing his services as Medical Officer of that Station.

Assistant Surgeon George Nicholas Check, of West Burdwan, obtained in the Judicial and Revenue Department, under date the 1st instant, leave of absence for fifteen days, from the 16th ultmo, on private affairs. This cancels the leave granted to him, in that Department, on the 27th October last.

The unexpired portion of the leave of absence granted to Assistant Surgeon Robert Bakewell Cumberland, attached to the Civil Station of Pooree, in the Judicial and Revenue Department, under date the 27th March, 1840, was cancelled in the same Department on the 1st instant from the 2d ultmo.

Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Young, of the 31st Regiment Native Infantry, Political Agent in Deyrah Dhoon, and Commanding the Sirnor Battalion, obtained in the Judicial Department North Western Provinces, under date the 18th ultmo, leave of absence from the 6th to the 20th ultmo, on private affairs, with authority to make over charge of his duties to his Assistant Captain Fisher.

Assistant Surgeon Richard William Faithfull, attached to the Civil Station of Fustehpore, was placed in the Judicial Department North Western Provinces, on the 21st ultmo, at his own request, at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.,

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mili. Dept.

CUSTOMS.

List of Packages lying unclaimed at this Office.

1 Box, Wm. Spokes, 1st European Regt. 4th Company, per Roberts.

1 Parcel, Capt. Digby, per Brothers.

1 Case, no mark, per Bland.

1 Mitto, marked F S 26, per Bengal Pecket.

1 Box, ditto A in diamond, per Water Witch.

1 Mitto, ditto B in diamond, per ditto.

1 Parcel, Jas. Swan, Governor's Clerk, per Bolland.

1 Mitto, J. Poate, exec of Mr. Bastard, per ditto.

1 Mitto, Captain D. Mackenzie, Ship Tamerlao, per Carolina.

1 Parcel, C. H. Dickens, Bengal Artillery, per Eleonora.

1 Box, marked A McG 1, in diamond, per Constellation.

5 Cases, ditto C T in diamond, per David Scott.

2 Casks, ditto C in diamond, per Firth.

1 Box, ditto L B 5, per Hereford.
 1 Case, Col. Shelton, per Seringspatam.
 1 Box, Captain Marshall, care of Colvin and Co., per Ditto.
 1 Case, Captain H. Huddleston, care of Bruce and Co., per Bucephalus.
 1 Ditto, Lieutenant and Adjutant Lower, care of Colvin and Co., per Maidstone.
 1 Ditto, A. Griffin, care of Rustamjee Cowasjee, per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, Major J. L. Earle, 9th Regt., per Ditto.
 1 Box, J. Clarke, care of Colvin and Co., per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, S. F. Rice, care of Carr, Tagore and Co., per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, Flinlay, Mackenzie and Co., per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, Mrs. Captain Griffin, care of Lyall and Co., per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, G. F. Hodgkinson, per Jessie Logan.
 1 Ditto, B. C. Ravonshaw, care of Carr, Tagore, per Robert Small.
 1 Ditto, C. Huffnagle, care of A. F. Smith and Co., per Dover.
 1 Case, G. W. Barnes, 18th Lt. Infantry, per Eleonora.
 1 Box, Ensign H. J. Guise, 28th Regt. N. I., per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, C. J. Baldoe, Ordnance Department, per Carnatic.
 1 Ditto, Lt. Col. Booth, 41st Regt., per Eliza.
 1 Box, Lt. Col. R. Powney, per Ditto.
 1 Ditto, Ensign J. M. Swinton, care of Cockerell and Co., per Ditto.
 Loose Huds. and Butt Staves, per Adams.

R. WALKER, *Collr. of Customs.*

11th December, 1840.

Packet for the reception of Letters by the following Ships are open at this Office.

Name of Vessel.	Agent.	Intended Departure.	To what Port.		Remarks.
			Overland Letters via Suez.	Singapore.	
From Bombay 14 Jany. 1841. latest date for Letters from Calcutta 17th December 1840, **		12th December, **	China,	Calcutta,	
			Liverpool,	Mauritius,	
		15th Ditto,	Liverpool,	London,	
		20th Ditto,	Ditto,	Mauritius,	

Calcutta, General Post Office, the 11th December, 1840.

OVERLAND LETTERS AND POSTAGE.

IT is hereby notified for general information—

First.—That all Letters and Newspapers, except Soldiers' and Sailors' Letters, intended for transmission by the Overland Mails, and except those specially marked "via Falmouth," will be sent through France, and thus be subject to the heavier rate of postage.

Second.—Letters and Newspapers addressed to France as well as those to other foreign countries, with which France is the channel of communication (if the latter are expressly directed to be so sent) will be made up in Packets and sent to the French Post Master at Marseilles; but Letters for Foreign Countries, other than France, if not specially directed to France, will be included in the Packets for England. Letters, &c., for places lying between Bombay and Marseilles, will be despatched in separate Packets.

Third.—Letters for the United Kingdom of Great Britain, weighing less than a quarter of an ounce, and passing through France, are charged single postage, which by that route amounts to 2s. 8d. By the Falmouth route, Letters of half an ounce in weight, are subject to single postage only, which by that route, has now been reduced to 1s.

Newspapers, if sent via Falmouth, are free of postage; but if transmitted by the way of Marseilles, they are charged 2d. each.

H. S. OLDFIELD,

Offy. Post Master General.

*Fort William, Genl. Post Office, }
the 27th May, 1840.*

NOTIFICATION.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council to dispatch a Steamer from hence to Suez, on Friday, the 1st of January 1841.

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,

(Signed) H. M. WILLOUGHBY, Major,
Acting Secretary to Government.
Bombay Castle, 10th Nov., 1840.

With reference to the above Notification, Notice is hereby given, that the latest safe date for the transmission of letters from Calcutta, which may be intended for despatch from Bombay by the January Steamer, will be the 17th of the ensuing month of December.

H. S. OLDFIELD,

Offy. Post Master General.

*Fort William, General Post Office, }
the 23d November, 1840.*

THE Public are hereby informed, that the Sub-Treasurer will negotiate Bills upon the undermentioned Provincial Treasuries, at the rates cited; to the extent of the surplus that is available at each Treasury:

LOWER PROVINCES.

Bengal,	
Bogra,	
Dinapore,	
Farrerapore,	at par and three days' sight.
Mulab,	
Midnapore,	
Nuddeah,	

C. MORLEY, *Act. General.*

*Fort William,
Accountant General's Office, }
The 12th December, 1840.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undermentioned Salt is for Sale at a reduced rate, under the provisions of Rule 5th of the Notification issued by the Board on the 30th April 1840.

Parties willing to purchase the Salt, will obtain Chars and Rowannahs upon payment of the price now fixed, after the expiration of ten days from the present date, that is to say, on and after the 20th December, 1840.

Agency.	Ghaut.	Year of Manufacture.	Present price of Salt per 100 Mds. of 80 Tola Weight.	Reduced price per 100 Mds. of 80 Tola Weight.
Tumlook,	Narainpore,	1246 S. S.,	436 Rs.,	426 Rs.

H. TORRENS, *Secretary.*

Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, the 10th December, 1840.

এন্টেহার দেওয়া বাইতেছে যে সব ১৮৪০ সালের ৩০ আগস্টের তারিখের বোর্ডের এন্টেহারের নিচের লিখিত নেমক কমিসরে পিকে হইবেক। অতএব যে সকল বাকির খরিদ করিবার সরকার হইবেক তাহারা এই তারিখ ইন্দুক পথের গত হইলে অর্থাৎ ১০ দিনের অধিক এ সরে টাকা মাত্রে করিলে ছাড় ও রওয়ামা পাইতে পারিবেক।

এজেন্সী	ঘাট	কোমবৎসরের পোকারের নেমক।	নেমকের ৮০ তোলা ওজনের কি ১০০ মোনোর এককার মূল্য।	নেমকের ৮০ তোলা ওজনের কি ১০০ মোনোর যে দর কমিশন রাখিব হইল।
কলমুক ...	মারায়গন্তুর ...	সব ১২৪৬ সাল	কো ৪২৬ টাকা	কো ৪২৬ টাকা।

বিশেষজ্ঞ দ্বারা আহোর আলিমান বোর্ড প্রদত্ত নেমক ও আকিম ইতি সব ১৮৪০ সাল তারিখ ১০ ডিসেম্বর—

H. TORRENS, *Secretary.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undermentioned quantity of Pungah Salt is for Sale at the rate specified below. Purchasers to satisfy themselves as to the quality of the Salt in question by personal inspection of the Masters of the Government Golahs at Kalleenugger, and the Rowannah first presented there to be entitled to the first delivery.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.

Agency.	Ghaut.	Year of Manufacture.	Quantity.	Price per 100 Mds.
Hidgeleu,	Kalleenugger,	1246 S. S., ...	Mds. 9,57,000, ...	436 Rs.

H. TORRENS, *Secretary.*

Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, the 10th December, 1840.

এন্টেহার দেওয়া বাইতেছে যে বিচের লিখিত বেমক গচ্ছামুক নিখিল মধ্যে বিক্রয়ার্থে অন্ত আছে বরিষাশগুলের উচিত যে এই নেমকের রকম কালীনগুলের ঘোণার মসুরা মৃক্তে বাতিলসম্বন্ধ মত বুঝিয়া খরিদ করেণ আর যে বাকি মোকাম মজতুরে অথবা রওয়ামা পারিল করিবেক সেই বাকি পাইসা ওজন পাইবার বোমা হইবেক।

নেমকের বেওয়া—

এজেন্সী অর্পণ জেলার নাম।	ঘাটের নাম।	কোমবৎসরের পোকার নেমক।	মুক্তাজী বেমক।	নির্বাচিত মুক্ত নেমক।
হিজলী —	তামাজার —	সব ১২৪৬ সাল	কো ৪২৬ মুনো	কো ৪২৬ টাকা।

বোর্ড প্রদত্ত বেমক ও আকিম ইতি সব ১৮৪০ সাল কালীম ১০ ডিসেম্বর—

H. TORRENS, *Secretary.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that with the sanction of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, Tenders will be received at this Office on or before the 31st proximo, at 12 o'clock, for the purchase of Mds. 819 of Cuttack Pungah Salt of 1232, to be sold in quantities of not less than lots of 250 maunds each, in satisfaction of Golah rent due, should the owners not previously appear and pay up the rent now due on their goods.

Intending purchasers are to satisfy themselves by personal inspection of the article at the Government Golahs at Balka, — the Salt to be paid for and taken away within one week, after the tender shall have been accepted by the Superintendent of the Salt Golahs.

F. BOWRING,
Sept. of the Golahs

Balka Salt Golahs, the 25th Novr. 1840.

সাহেবাদ আশিশের বোক পরিষিট বয়ক ৭ আক্তিয়ের আদেসোনারে সংবাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামী ১১ ডিসেম্বর বিহু ১২ ঘটোর সময় পর্যন্ত সব ১২৩২ সালের মোসুজি ৮১৯/ মোন কষ্টক পোক। বয়ক বিক্রয়ার্থে টেওর অফিস বিক্রয় স্টক আবেদনপত্র আব আক্তিয়ে লওয়া যাইবেক গোলা ভাড়া। আদীয় কারণ প্রত্যোক সাট ২০% মোনের ক্ষম বিক্রয় কর। যাইবেক না অগত সাবেক পরিদায় যদ্যপি ইন্ডিপ্রে এ উপরেও বিষিত বয়কের পোক ভাড়া পাওয়া আছে তাহা আবাহ আবেক করে বিক্রয় হইবেক না।

খরিদারারের উচিত যে ক্ষয়ের পুর করকের নমুনা সরকারি গোলায় মেখে আর টেওর ক্ষয়ত সুপ্রয়োগে ক্ষয়ের দানা অন্তর হচ্ছে এক হাতাহের মক্কে টাঙ্কা দাখিল করিয়া বয়ক শেল্প করিয়া শব ইচ্ছ সব ১৮৪০ আব তারিখ ২৫ বছুব্রা

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.
In the matter of Alexander Colvin and others, heretofore trading in Co-partnership at Calcutta, that an Account in detail of the Receipts and Disbursements of Dwarunder the style and firm of Palmer and Company, Insolventa, tosh Day and Albert John DeHuchepied Larpen, the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvents, from 1st day of July until the 30th day of September 1840, has been filed, and may be inspected at the Office of the Chief Clerk.

“ Any Creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the Estate of the said Insolvents will be heard, having given notice of such intention at the Office of the Chief Clerk three clear days before the Hearing.”

Office of Examiner, 10th December, 1840.
Mr. Alexander, Assignee.

কলিকাতার জোক্রিয় কর্মসূচার পরি
কার্যালয়ে আবাসন

কালকুলীর আশিশকার্য কাল কলিকাতার কর্মসূচক বিষয় পুরু কার্যালয় করিতে বাস্তুতা পুরু কার্যালয় করিতে করিতে করিতে বাস্তুতা পুরু কার্যালয় করিতে করিতে করিতে করিতে এই কোম্পানির বাস্তুতা পুরু করিতে করিতে এই কোম্পানির বাস্তুতা পুরু করিতে

শাস্তির বিষিটে এবং বিভাগ করণার্থে বিক্রিত হইল এবং এই বিষয়ের মোকারকারের এক আবাস এবং পুরু কার্যালয় হিসাব ইং সব ১৮৪০ সালের সেক্ষণের মাহার ১ তারিখ সাবেক সাহেবের স্থুরখনের আগমন হইলেই সূক্ষ্ম হইতেক।

“ কান মাছিমুর কিয়া উপরে সুবানিকা রি বাক্তি বিভি বাক্তি হিন উক নাড়ানগনের কামুদাদেহ উপর আপত্তি করিতে তিবি এ শুবানিক বিষিট দিবসের পুরু পুরু তিন দিবস থাকতে অণ্ডা করিলে তাহা শুবা জাইবেক”

একজানির সাহেবের আক্তিয়

সব ১৮৪০ সব ১০ ডিসেম্বর

মেং আলিকেজেওর মুক্তিযাতবাব

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of John Palmer. Notice is hereby given, and others, heretofore trading in detail of the Receipts and Disbursements of Dwarunder the style and firm of Palmer and Company, Insolventa, tosh Day and Albert John DeHuchepied Larpen, the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvents, from 1st day of July until the 30th day of September 1840, has been filed, and may be inspected at the Office of the Chief Clerk.

Office of Examiner, 10th December, 1840.

Messrs. Waddington and Sanders, Atties.

কলিকাতার জোক্রিয় কর্মসূচের পরি
কার্যালয়ে আবাসন

কান কার পাস্ত ও গবর্নের একবার একবার বিষয় জাহার। এহাৰ পুরু কার মেওয়া যাইতেছে বাব করিতেক কলিকাতায় বাব যে দারিকনাথ বাব সওদাগরি ও গোকুলসীমি কান আস্তুকোহ পাস্ত এবং কোম্পানির বাব যে এবং আল ও উপাধিতে

বট জীব ডিহাচ পিড প্রাপ্তে উক করিবিগো মাল ও কান দাবের এসাইনি অর্থাৎ মোকারকার তাহার দিগের দানায় এক আবাস এবং এক কার্যালয়ে হিসাব ইং সব ১৮৪০ সালের জুলাই মাহার ১ তারিখ মাৰ কেতহু মাহার ৩০ তারিখ দাখিল হইয়াছে তাহা চিপ কেলাক সাহেবের স্থুর কী বাব আগমন করিলে উক হিসাব সূক্ষ্ম করিতে পাইবেন।

একজানির সাহেবের আক্তিয়

সব ১৮৪০ সব ১০ ডিসেম্বর

মেং গোপনী ও পাতিকুল এবং প্রাম্ভ উকল

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Matters of the Partition and Settlement (the same having been filed in the Court,) of

Chunderuomar Miller,

of Simla, in Calcutta, Banian, and now a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of Calcutta, will be heard on Saturday, the 9th day of January 1841, at the hour of 11 o'Clock in the forenoon.

“ No Creditor will be allowed at the Hearing to oppose the discharge of a Prisoner, unless he shall have

" given notice of his intention to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of Hearing."

Office of Examiner, 8th December, 1840.

Mr. Bedell, Atty.

কলিকাতার রাজকুমার কর্তৃপক্ষের পত্র
আবাসে আবাসত
একবার কর্তৃপক্ষের পত্র এই এই আবাসত পাইলে আবাসী ও কর্তৃপক্ষের বিষয়ে নিচের
মানিত—
কর্তৃপক্ষের পত্র—

কলিকাতার সিলেক্ট মুক্ত এবং
একের কলিকাতার কেলের এক কর্তৃপক্ষের সন
১৮৪১ সালের জেনুয়ারি মাহার ১ শনিবার
কারিখে বেলা ১১ ঘটার সময় মুক্তি হইবেক—

কলিকাতা "কোর অবসর আপত্তি করিতে পারি
বেন নাই কালাসিতে কোর কর্তৃপক্ষের যাপন
মুক্তির বিস্মিত বিবরের পূর্ব পূর্বে তিনি পিসে
পাকিতে তাহার আবাসের স্বাক্ষর চিপ কেলাক
সাহেবের আক্ষিতে আপনেন"

কলিকাতার সাহেবের আক্ষিত—

সন ১৮৪০ সাল ৮ ডিসেম্বর—

মে. বিজেল উকিল—

NOTICE.—The Public are hereby informed, under
orders of Government, dated 29th January, 1840,
that excavations, surrounded with fowls, and having
lights at night, are in progress in the undermentioned
Thoroughfares in the Town of Calcutta.

Lower North Division.

Champatollah Lane, North side in front of Houses, Nos.
50 and 51, Postah Wall to be commenced and will be
fenced in accordingly.

Portuguese Church Street will be closed against Car-
riages.

Portuguese Church Street, a Tunnel to be constructed;
it will be necessary to close the entrances to the Street,
with a strong fence between Moorghatta Street and a Lane
branching from the west side of Portuguese Church Street.

Lower North and Upper North Divisions.

Chitpore Road: West side: from Moorghatta Street
to opposite Dwarkeynath Tagore's Lane—Aqueduct to be
built.

R. J. ROSE,
Offg. Supt. Conservancy.

WANTED a Treasurer in the Office of the Col-
lector of Dacca, salary per month 50 Rs.,
unexceptional security to the value of Rs. 30,000 will
be required.

R. M. SKINNER,

Offg. Colls.

Zillah Dacca Collectorate,

the 2d Dec. 1840.

NOTICE.

IT is particularly requested that all letters for the
Collector of Behar may be addressed to him at
Gaya, as since the Establishment of a branch Post
Office at Behar, distant upwards of 40 miles from
Gaya, great delay is experienced in the receipt of
letters at the Collectorship of Behar.

H. C. HAMILTON,

Collector of Zillah Behar.

Behar Collectorship, Gaya,

the 3d December, 1840.

NOTICE.

THE Effects of the late Captain J. S. Boswell, of
the Invalid Establishment, are under the Seal
of this Court, and will be delivered to any Person duly
authorized to receive the same.

G. MACAN, Judge.

Zillah Saharanpoor, Judge's Office,

the 1st December, 1840.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Sundry Effects
belonging to the late Raj Krishna Day, Sub-
Assistant Surgeon, stationed at Delhi, who died on
27th September, 1840, are under the Seal of this
Court, and will be delivered to any person legally
authorized to receive the same.

C. LINDSAY, Judge.

Delhi Territory,

Judge's Office,

the 1st December, 1840.

NOTICE.

WANTED a Treasurer for the Salt Agency
Office of Tumlock, Salary per month Rupees 40. Security to the value of Fifty Thousand Ru-
pees will be required. It is not necessary that the
applicant knows Persian, he must be a good Ac-
countant, and be well acquainted with the Bengalee
language, and if he understands English so much the
better.

A. C. BARWELL,
Acting Agent, T.D.

Tumlock Salt Office,

the 3d December, 1840.

Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the
Thirty-first day of December, instant, precisely at the
hour of 12 o'Clock at Noon, the Sheriff of Calcutta
will put up to Public Sale, at the Lower Verandah
of the Court House, near the entrance into the
Sheriff's Office, by virtue of a Writ of Venditioni
Exponas in his hands against Dwarakanath Roy,—

The Right, Title, and Interest of the said Dwar-
akanath Roy, of, in, and to all that Talook called
Mousahis Chandrah and Tantayarree, situate in the
Pergunnah Bistopore, and in the District of Jang-
olomohul.

The Conditions of Sale may be known by applying
at the Sheriff's Office.

Late Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the
Thirty-first day of December, instant, precisely at the
hour of 12 o'Clock at Noon, James Young, Esquire,
late Sheriff of Calcutta, will put to Public Sale, ■
the Lower Verandah of the Court House, near the
entrance into the Sheriff's Office, by Virtue of a
Writ of Fieri Facias in his hands against Russick-
chunder Sill.

The Right, Title, and Interest of the said Russick-
chunder Sill, of, in, and to all that Spotragor
Indigo Factory and other Property thereto belong-
ing, (that is to say,) Nine Land with the Indigo
Plant thereon, containing, by estimation, One Thou-
sand and Six Hundred Biggahs, together with the
Brick-built Godown, Screw House and Pucca
Bungalow, Seventeen pair of Vats, One Oven, and
Implements for the Manufacture of Indigo, and all
other Appurtenances, situate, lying, and being at
Santipore, in Pergunnah Bugeahmohur, and in
the District of Naddees.

The Conditions of Sale may be known by applying
at the Sheriff's Office.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Hooghly, on Tuesday, the 29th December, 1840, corresponding with 16th Poona 1247 B. S.

Name of Muhals to be sold, and of Pergunnah in which it is situated and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Amount Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including interest for the Kist of September, 1840.	Remarks.
No. 703. Mancoonda, Pergunnah Boroo,	Dwarkanath Tagore, &c.,	2,381 8 7	365 4 11	{ Produces Paddy, Sugar-cane, &c.

Hooghly Collector's Office, 9th December, 1840.

W. H. BELL, Collector.

NOTICE of Public Sale for arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Hooghly, on Tuesday, the 29th December, 1840, corresponding with 16th Poona 1247 B. S.

Name of Muhals to be sold, and of Pergunnah in which it is situated, and No. of Lot in Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietor.	Amount Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including interest for the Kist of September, 1840.	Remarks.
No. 31. Lot Sankhkhally, Ph. Baulish,	Prawnnath Chowdhury, &c.,	10148 0 0	644 3 3	{ Produces Paddy, Sugar, &c.
,, 32. Goldshu, Ph. Chundereonah,	Ditto, including Chakeran,	10794 0 4	43 12 7	Ditto,
,, 33. Nekurbaug, Ph. Ditto,	Ditto, ditto,	11239 7 2	698 15 11	Ditto,
,, 34. Bunoopur, Ph. Ditto,	Hurrin Chunder Bimplapadhi, &c., including Chakeran,	10840 7 0	288 10 11	Ditto,

Hooghly Collector's Office, 9th December, 1840.

W. H. BELL, Collector.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, unless intermediately liquidated, at the Collector's Office, Zillah Moorshedabad, on Thursday, the 14th December 1840, or 1st Poona 1247 B. S.

Names of Mehals to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which they are situated, and number of the Lot in the Collector's Sale Advertisement.	Recorded Proprietors.	Amount Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest up to Sept. 1840.	Remarks.
1. Ph. Coonwurpurbaub,	{ Roja Kishen Chand Sing, &c.,	109047 0 0	92626 6 7	This Land produces Indigo, Mulberry, Paddy, and Sugar Cane.
2. Hooda Econree, &c.,	Ditto,	105428 0 8	12357 2 11	Ditto,
3. Kist. Ph. Cassepoor,	Doorgapershal, &c.,	8076 12 5	1914 4 10	Ditto,
The abovementioned Estates are still under Butwarra.				
4. Kist. Ph. Roenpoor,	Seetanath Sandial,	69762 12 11	12583 0 7	Ditto,
5. Hooda Hekhalepoor,	Doodi Debya, &c.,	9848 11 4	351 11 7	Ditto,
6. Hooda Pooronstumtumbauly,	Shibnarain Ghose,	8668 0 0	1167 8 11	Ditto,
7. Hooda Paitkabuly,	Mosh Murjan, &c.,	11580 4 0	1200 0 3	Ditto,
8. Dihes Gunkur Churka,	Brindabunshahree Takanor, Sevt. Bijoygobind, &c.,	14068 12 10	2346 5 4	Ditto,
9. Kist. Ph. Dyanugger,	Faqeer Oollah Chowdree, &c.,	9590 12 8	1032 5 8	Ditto,
10. Turf Mooneesh Dihes,	Mohes Chunder, &c.,	12016 4 3	1605 0 0	Ditto,

* The right and interest of Ranees Unnopoornah will be sold.

Moorshedabad, Collector's Office, the 30th November, 1840.

PIERCE TAYLOR, Collector.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ALEXANDER ROOKES, in our Firm, ceased from the 31st August 1840.

Mr. ROBERT JOHN DAWSON is admitted a Partner in our Firm from the 1st September 1840.

HAMILTON & CO.

4th December, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Goldpaney's 4 per Cent. Paper No. 122 of 4687 of 1832-33, for Rs. Rs. 1400/- was lost by Radhabenund Bysack, on the 16th day of July 1839, the property of Tarnaband Bhattacharya.

LOST

At Cawnpore on the 29th April, 1840,

A GOVERNMENT 4 per Cent. PROMISSORY NOTE, No. 1223 of 7499 of 1835-36, for Rs. Rs. 1,000/- the property of Baboo Kocjell and Boyejonath Shroffs, of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Public, that on the 4th November, 1836, two pieces of Company's Paper, No. 11570 for 700 Rs. and 11852 for 800 Rs. (being 1500 Sicca, Rupees,) having been lost or stolen from within a Box, a reward will be given, if required, to the party finding and restoring the same to Jagannath Bose.

BANK OF BENGAL,
21st NOVEMBER, 1840.

UNDER the XIII. Section of the Charter (Act VI. of 1830,) a Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at the Bank on *Monday, the 14th December* next at Ten A. M. to elect two Directors to be in the room of James Colquhoun and John Cowie, Esquires, who will go out of the Direction, by rotation, on the said 14th December.

The Poll will close at 3 P. M.

Published by Order of the Directors,

T. BRACKEN,
Secy. ■ the Bank.

BENGAL MILITARY FUND.

In conformity to the 26th and 27th Articles of the Regulations, a General Meeting of the Subscribers of the Military Fund will be held, at the Military Fund Office, on Wednesday, the 27th January 1841, at 10 o'Clock in the forenoon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the inspection and approval of Accounts of the Fund, and of the proceedings of the Directors of the past year.

After the disposal of the above business, the Meeting will be declared special for the consideration, under Article 92, of the recent Propositions from 53 Subscribers at Meerut, as submitted to the Army in the Circular from the Directors, No. 457 of the 25th September 1840.

J. W. J. OUSELEY, President.
Fort William, Military Fund Office, }
12th October, 1840. }

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REPORT

Showing the smallest depth of water in the Bhagirattee, Jellinghee, and Makabungah Rivers, on the 30th November, 1840.

Names of Rivers.	Depth in feet or inches.	Where shallowest.	Remarks.
<i>Bhagirattee River.</i>	8. In		
At its entrance,	12 0		
From thence to Juggernathpore,	6 0	{ Below the entrance of the River.	
From Juggernathpore to Jungypore,	6 0	Above Jungypore.	
Jungypore to Sad-durkhaugh,	3 0	{ At Sarpore & Rajahampore.	
From Sad-durkhaugh to Berhampore,	3 9	{ At Ahmavengore.	
From Berhampore to Cutta,	3 9	{ At Doorabupore & Shahaljee,	
and			
From Cutta to Nuddeah,	3 1	At Kalkapore.	
<i>Jellinghee River.</i>			
At its entrance,	5 0		
From thence to Baudhunagar,	2 3	{ At Chooraparab.	
From Baudhunagar to Teekhkhattah,	2 4	{ At Ostupore.	
From Teekhkhattah to Sonatullah,	0 0	{ At Bostum-poreh.	
and			
From Sonatullah to Glassengattah,	3 6	{ At Sonatullah.	
<i>Makabungah River.</i>			
At its entrance,	5 0		
From thence to Haut Boleah,	4 3	{ At Mullaparrah & Haut Boleah.	
From Haut Boleah to Katchikattah,	3 6	{ At Bhangberlah.	
From Katchikattah to Kishengunge,	0 9	{ At Moorishah-gah & Goyegattah.	
From Katchikattah to Kishengunge,	0 3	{ At Luckspore, Damorhundah and Gobindspore.	
and			
From Kishengunge to Swhpare,	3 7	At Kishengunge.	

W. M. SMYTH, Captain,
Engineers, Supt. Nuddeah Rivers,
Jellinghee River, Teekhkhattah, the 5th Dec., 1840.



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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1840.

PORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,
TUES 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 7th of December 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

Act No. XXIV. of 1840.

For amending the Law with respect to rates for Municipal purposes within the Town of Calcutta.

I. Whereas it is expedient to specify the particular purposes to which rates assessed on houses, buildings and grounds in Calcutta shall be applied; and abolish the practice which has hitherto prevailed, of levying five per cent on the annual value of all houses, buildings and grounds, without reference to the amount necessary for accomplishing the purposes of the rates; such per-centages being inadequate for the purposes to which the rates have hitherto been deemed applicable. And whereas it is expedient to make the percentage leviable by quarterly rates on the annual value of property to depend entirely on the expenditure necessary for accomplishing, in an efficient manner, the purposes to which the rates shall henceforth be applicable, and providing for all incidental expenses and casual deficiencies or defaults. And whereas it is expedient to subject the collection and administration of the funds raised for Municipal purposes in the various districts of the Town to the management of the rate-payers themselves within such districts respectively, whenever they are desirous of undertaking the same, and are willing to enter into proper arrangements for the purpose. And whereas it is expedient to modify the provisions of the Statute 33 Geo. 3, Cap. 52, in regard to assessments for the Town of Calcutta in order for the better collection of the same, reserving all the authority of such Statute in matters not inconsistent with this Act;—

It is hereby enacted, that the assessments which by the Statute 33 Geo. 3, Ch. 52 are authorized to be made for the Town of Calcutta, shall be applicable to the following purposes only—viz. lighting, and water-ing the roads and streets, and cleansing and repairing the same and the drains of the said Town.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that the amounts and rates made under the authority of the said Statute shall be sufficient for accomplishing, in an efficient manner, the purposes mentioned in the last Section, for discharging all incidental expenses, and for making up deficiencies and defaults of every kind whatsoever. Provided always that no rate shall be made exceeding the amount of five per cent. on the annual value of property without the sanction of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

III. And it is hereby enacted, for the encouragement of the general and supervision of the assessment and collection of the rates of the management thereof within each district, to be undertaken by the

rate-payers themselves—the Justices in their Quarter Sessions shall publish quarterly the particulars of all sums laid out, and of all the expenses of collection and deficiencies during the preceding quarter within the following divisions of the Town, or such other divisions as the Governor of Fort William in Bengal may from time to time direct, so long as the assessment, collection or management of the rates for such divisions shall remain under their jurisdiction, viz. the 1st or Upper North Division, bounded as follows:

North—by the Mahratta Ditch.

South—by the Mutehoo Bazar Road and Colton Street to Meerbhur's Ghaut.

East—by the Circular Road.

West—by the River Hooghly.

2d or Lower North Division, bounded as follows:

North—by Mutehoo Bazar Road and Cotton Street, to Meerbhur's Ghaut.

South—by the Boitakhana and Bow Bazar Road, and Hare Street, to Fulles Ghaut.

East—by the Circular Road.

West—by the River Hooghly.

3d or Upper South Division, bounded as follows:

North—by Boitakhana, Bow Bazar Road and Hare Street, to Police Ghaut.

South—Durrumtollah Street and Esplanade Row, to Chandpaul Ghaut.

East—Circular Road.

West—River Hooghly.

4th or Lower South Division, bounded as follows:

North—by the Durrumtollah Street and Esplanade Row, to Chandpaul Ghaut.

South—by the Lower Circular Road to Kidderpore Bridge and Tolly's Nullah, to River Hooghly, including the Fort and Gooch Bazar.

East—by the Circular Road.

West—by the River Hooghly.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, when two-thirds in number and value of the rate-payers of any of such respective divisions shall apply to the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to undertake themselves the assessment, collection and management of the rates of such division, or any or either of these trusts, it shall be lawful for the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to undertake the same accordingly, at his discretion; provided always that such majority of rate-payers shall present a release which shall obtain his full approbation for the safe and efficient execution of the trusts, the transfer of which from the present managers is sought for. Provided always that in any such arrangement, the amount to be levied in any particular division shall not be considered as necessarily limited by the amount expended within such division, but shall be adjusted by the Governor of Fort William in Bengal upon reference to all legal circumstances.

V. And it is hereby enacted, that for the better assessment and collection of rates under this Act, it shall be lawful for the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, to appoint such Assessors or Assessors, Collector or Collectors, and to make such union of the offices of

Assessor and Collector, and to prescribe such rules and take such securities for the due execution of this Act by the person or persons employed in assessments and collections and in the management of the rates collected as he shall deem expedient.

VI. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall not be necessary in any Assessment rate or Warrant of Distress under this Act to specify the names of the owners or occupiers of houses, buildings and grounds; but it shall be sufficient if every property rated be identified, and, in the case of houses numbered in any street, that the name of the street and number of the house rated be particularly specified.

VII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Goods and Chattels of the owner of any property rated shall be seizable anywhere (except where property is concealed as hereinafter mentioned) for deficiency in the payment of rates. And that all property which shall be found upon any premises rated, shall be seizable for any arrears which may be due for a period of one year immediately preceding such seizure. And in the case of the seizure of the property of a tenant under such circumstances, he may deduct the amount of the levy from the next payment of his rent.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that where there is ground to suspect that property liable to distress under this Act is concealed in any Zemana, the Officer charged with the execution of the Warrant shall make a special report to the Justice granting the same, who shall thereupon follow, as closely as is practicable, the rules for the seizure of property in like cases adopted by Her Majesty's Supreme Court.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1581.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

TUE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Lieutenant Rowley Hill, 1st Regiment of Cavalry Orde Auxiliary Force, has been appointed to officiate as Brigade Major of that Force, until further orders.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1586.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,

FORT WILLIAM,

TUE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Captain W. H. Trevelyan, 2d Assistant to the Governor General's Agent in Rajpootana, has been appointed to officiate as First Assistant to the Resident at Indore, vice Major Douglas.

T. H. MADDOCK.
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

TUE 23D NOVEMBER, 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the rates at which advances will be made, under authority of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, of Cash to Merchants on Bills of Exchange in favor of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, secured by the consignment of Goods, will, until further orders, be 2*s.* and 2*d.* the Company's Rupee. In all other respects the Terms and Conditions of these advances will be the same as advertised under date the 2d May, 1839, 27th November, 1839, and 4th March, 1840.

Published by order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal,

G. A. BUSHBY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 202.

FORT WILLIAM,

SEPARATE DEPARTMENT,

TUE 10TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint Mr. H. J. Bamber, Superintendent of the Jemuro Salt Chokies, vice Mr. A. F. Hawkins.

G. A. BUSHBY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 201.

FORT WILLIAM,

GENERAL DEPARTMENT,

TUE 11TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. W. H. Martin and Mr. T. C. Scott, of the Civil Service, reported their return to this Presidency from England, on the 8th instant.

FURLough.

Owing to the expiry of Mr. R. Macan's Furlough and the return of Messrs. W. H. Martin and T. C. Scott, the following Disposition List of Furloughs is published for the information of registered Applicants:—

By Expiry.

Mr. R. Macan,..... 8th December, 1840. Mr. R. K. Dick, admitted under Medical Certificate.

By Return.

Mr. W. H. Martin, 8th December, 1840.....

Mr. T. C. Scott, Ditto.

Furloughs that will be available by Return or Expiry to the 31st March 1841.

1. W. Wilkinson, 16th December, 1840.....

2. C. Allen, 4th January, 1841.....

3. H. P. Russell, 5th Ditto Ditto,.....

4. Robt. Trotter, 5th Ditto Ditto,.....

5. C. E. Trevelyan, 17th Ditto Ditto,.....

6. James Lean, 1st February, Ditto,.....

7. S. G. Smith, 18th Ditto Ditto,.....

8. F. H. Read, 18th Ditto Ditto,.....

9. T. P. Woodcock, 1st March, Ditto,.....

10. George Adams, 8th Ditto Ditto,.....

1. J. P. Grant.

2. C. T. Davidson.

3. W. R. Timins.

4. N. B. Edmonstone.

5. J. Mair.

6. B. J. Colvin.

7. P. C. Trench.

8. H. Beresford.

9. M. S. Gilmore.

10. D. J. Money.

By order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal,

G. A. BUSHBY, *Secy. to Govt.*

No. 203.

FORT WILLIAM,
ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 15TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The Reverend A. Hammond, Chaplain of Allahabad, is permitted to proceed to Europe, on Furlough, under Medical Certificate.

G. A. BUSHBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 210.

FORT WILLIAM,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 15TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the Salaries and Allowances of the Civil and Marine Departments for December, instant, will be discharged by the Sub-Treasurer and Marine Pay Master respectively, on or after Friday, the 15th Proximo.

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G. A. BUSHBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India

FORT WILLIAM,
MINT DEPARTMENT,

THE 25TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

Mr. John Curnin is suspended from the functions of Assay Master at the Calcutta Mint, until further orders.

Mr. Surgeon John Grant is appointed to officiate as Assay Master at the Calcutta Mint.

G. A. BUSHBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,

MILITARY DEPARTMENT, 16TH DEC. 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the Pay, Battalions, and other Allowances for December, 1840, of the Troops at the Presidency, and at the other Stations of the Army, will be issued on or after Saturday, the 9th Proximo.

By Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council,

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India Milt. Dept.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE
THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA
IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 9th December, 1840.

No. 202 of 1840.—Colonel J. Shelton, of Her Majesty's 44th Foot, is appointed temporarily a Brigadier of the 2d Class, from the date of the arrival at Jellalabad of the Force under his Command, and the Junior Officer at present holding that rank in Afghanistan, will cease to be a Brigadier from the same date.

Such arrangements for Brigading the Troops at Jellalabad and Cabool, as may be necessary in consequence of the return of some Corps to the Provinces, and the arrival of the Force under Colonel Shelton, will be made under the Orders of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Milt. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 10th December, 1840.

No. 203 of 1840.—The Pay, Battalions, and other Allowances for December 1840, of the Troops at the Presidency, and at the other Stations of the Army, will be issued on or after Saturday, the 9th Proximo.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Milt. Dept.

NOTIFICATION.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council to dispatch a Steamer from hence to Suez, on Friday, the 1st of January 1841.

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,
(Signed) E. M. WILLOUGHBY, Major,
Acting Secretary to Government
Bombay Castle, 10th Nov., 1840.

With reference to the above Notification, Notice is hereby given, that the latest safe date for the transmission of letters from Calcutta, which may be intended for despatch from Bombay by the January Steamer, will be the 17th of the ensuing month of December.

H. S. OLDFIELD,
Offy. Post Master General.
*Fort William, General Post Office, }
the 2d November, 1840.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE NOTICE.

UNDER the orders of Government, the subjoined Notice to the Public of England, is promulgated for the information of the Public of India: and as the inconveniences described in that Notice, as arising out of the use of sealing wax, for closing letters, are equally experienced in India, it is strongly recommended that the use of wafers be universally adopted as suggested by the English Post Office Authorities.

H. S. OLDFIELD,
Offy. Post Master General.
*Fort William, General Post Office, }
the 2d November, 1840.*

No. 9, 1840.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC AND INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL POST MASTERS AND LETTER WRITERS.

General Post Office, August 1840.

The practice of sealing letters passing to and from the East and West Indies, and other warm climates, with wax, is attended with much inconvenience, and frequently with serious injury to the letters, in consequence of the melting of the wax and adhesion of the letters to each other.

In the case of a Mail recently received from India, considerable delay was occasioned at this Office, and notwithstanding the greatest care was taken in separating the letters, which, owing to the cause already mentioned, adhered closely together, many were much damaged and torn; the Public are therefore recommended in all possible cases to use wafers in preference to wax in sealing their letters sent to India or other warm climates, and also to advise their correspondents in those countries to pursue the same course.

Post Masters are also enjoined to give every publicity to this caution.

By Command,
(Signed) W. L. MABERY, Secretary.
(True Copy.)
(Signed) G. A. BUSHBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.
(True Copy.)
H. S. OLDFIELD,
Offy. Post Master Genl.

OVERLAND LETTERS AND POSTAGE.

IT is hereby notified for general information—

First.—That all Letters and Newspapers, except Soldiers' and Sailors' Letters, intended for transmission by the Overland Mails, and except those specially marked "via Falmouth," will be sent through France, and thus be subject to the heavier rate of postage.

Second.—Letters and Newspapers addressed to France, as well as those to other foreign countries, with which France is the channel of communication (if the letter are expressly directed to be so sent) will be made up in Packets and sent to the French Post Master at Marseilles; but Letters for Foreign Countries, other than France, if not specially directed to France, will be included in the Packets for England. Letters, &c., for places lying between Bombay and Marseilles, will be despatched in separate Packets

Third.—Letters for the United Kingdom of Great Britain, weighing less than a quarter of an ounce, and passing through France, are charged single postage, which by that route amounts to 2s. 8d. By the Falmouth route, Letters of half an ounce in weight, are subject to single postage only, which by that route, has now been reduced to 1s.

Newspapers, if sent via Falmouth, are free of postage; but if transmitted by the way of Marseilles, they are charged 2d. each.

H. S. OLDFIELD,
Off. Post Master General.

Port William, Genl. Post Office, }
the 27th May, 1840.

NOTICE.—In consequence of the return of the "Col. Burney" in a damaged state, her Packets for Penang were transferred to the "Agnes," and those for Singapore to the "Dido."

The Letters for China marked for despatch by the "Hannah," save those specially marked for that Vessel by the senders, up to the 11th instant, inclusive, were transferred to the "Severn," the latter Vessel being the first to sail for that destination.

The undermentioned transfers were effected in consequence of the Packets reaching Kedgeroo too late to overtake the Vessels for which they had been originally intended.

Date of the Receipt of the Letters at the General Post Office.	Name of the Vessel by which the Letters were intended to have been transmitted.	Destination.	Name of the Vessel by which the Letters were transmitted.
4th & 5th Nov. 1840,	Sarah,	Hubert Town and Sydney,	
22d & 24th ditto,	Clown,	Singapore,	Sonoma,
23d ditto,	Justine,	Delaware,	Dido,
23d & 24th ditto,	Cashmere Merchant,	Penang,	Agnes,
27th ditto,	Abbotford,	Mauritius,	Parvyn Park,
28th ditto,	Bengaloo,	Ditto,	Dido,
28th ditto,	Woblegum,	Ditto,	Dido,
28th ditto,	Naples,	Boston,	Carolina,
28th & 29th ditto,	Baconster,	Madras,	Somath Jamal,
29th & 30th ditto,	Aeon,	Cape of Good Hope,	Northumb-berland,
29th to 1st Dec.	Esther,	Liverpool,	Northumb-berland,
30th Nov.	Cordelia,	Ditto,	Cambay,
30th ditto,	Indura,	Madras,	Enterprise,
30th ditto,	Sappho,	London,	Kitty,
1st & 2d Dec.	Dido,	Singapore and Macao,	Agnes,
2d ditto,	Nothum-berland,	London,	Rimond,
3d ditto,	Cambay,	Liverpool,	Urgent,
3d ditto,	Dido,	Singapore,	Kitty,
4th ditto,	Aurora,	Arrean,	Audley,
4th ditto,	Laidfield,	Bourbon,	Afrique,
7th ditto,	Penyard Park,	Magriton,	Enterprise,
7th ditto,	Agnes,	Penang,	Wm. Dan- pier,
7th ditto,	Dido,	Singapore,	Kitty,
8th ditto,	Enterprise,	Magriton,	Falcon,
8th & 9th ditto,	Kitty,	Singapore and Macao,	H. M. B. Cruiser,
9th & 10th ditto,	Wm. Dan- pier,	Singapore,	Severn,
10th ditto,	H. M. B. Cruiser,	China,	Dido,
11th ditto,	Falcon,	Mauritius & Bourbon,	Mauritius,

Wm. MOORE, Deputy Post Master,
Port William, General Post Office, }
the 15th December, 1840.

IT is hereby notified that unless marked for particular Ships, all Letters received at the General Post Office between Monday the 7th December and Sunday the 13th December, both dates inclusive, were despatched by the undermentioned Vessels, which sailed from Calcutta on dates specified:

Letters received on dates from and to.	By what Ships despatched.	Bound to.	Remarks.
7th and 8th December,	Urgent,	London,	Last Town on the 9th Inst.
9th to 13th ditto,	Owen Glendower,	Cape of Good Hope and London,	Ditto 15th ditto.
7th to 11th ditto,	Severn,	Singapore and China,	Ditto 12th ditto.
7th to 13th ditto,	Allerton,	Mauritius,	Expected to leave Town to-day.
Ditto,	John Hepburn,	Sydney,	Ditto few days.
Ditto,	John Hepburn,	Rangoon and Mauritius,	Ditto in a day or two.

Calcutta, General Post Office, the 15th December, 1840.

Wm. MOORE, Deputy Post Master.

NOTIFICATION.

FORT WILLIAM, OPIUM DEPARTMENT,

THE 5TH NOVEMBER, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday, the 4th day of January 1841, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be put up to Sale, at the Exchange Room, at Calcutta, and sold by Public Auction, for Exportation by Sea, the undermentioned Quantity of Opium, the Provision of 1839-40, subject to the following Conditions, viz.

Produce of Behar Agency, Chests,

4,000
Ditto of Benares Do., do,

2,000
Total Chests,

6,000

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The Opium will be sold for Exportation by Sea, and no Certificate will be granted except to cover such Exports.

2. The Opium will be offered for Sale at an open Price of Rupees 400 per Chest, and to be all sold to the highest bidder above that price.

3. If in the above Sale the entire quantity of 6,000 Chests shall not be sold, it shall subsequently be competent for the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, to dispose of the Lots which remain on hand at future Sales.

4. Each Lot to contain 1000 Chests.

5. A Deposit in a Promissory Note for 1,000 Rupees per Lot, or 800 Rupees per Chest, shall be made by the Purchaser in the Sale Room, and before the Lot is registered in the Sale Book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be received in the part of Purchasers at the Office of Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or by substitution of other Public Securities of the Bengal Government, or before 6 o'clock of the afternoon of Friday, the 5th January 1841, or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the Lot or Lots for which no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or Deposit of other Public Securities is forthcoming, shall have been delivered in, shall be void at such time or times, and under such Conditions of Re-

sale as the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, shall see fit, and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such Removal, shall be borne and paid by the Defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such Removal shall be forfeited to Government.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of Sale under the last mentioned Condition, if remaining unredeemed on the said 8th January 1841, will be placed in the hands of the Attorney to the Honourable Company for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No Tender of Money, Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or Public Securities on account of Opium upon which the prescribed Deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the 8th January, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium now advertised for Sale, shall be paid for within One Calendar Month from the day of Sale, and in case any Lots of such Opium shall not be paid for and adjusted, then the Cash Deposit of 1,000 Rupees per Lot, or 200 Rupees per Chest, or any Public Securities that may have been deposited on account of such Lots or Chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, shall think fit.

9. Purchasers taking out Certificates or Orders for the delivery of Opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of Lots of their purchase which they may desire to be included in each Certificate or Order, and it is to be clearly understood that the Certificates or Orders so taken shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other Certificates or Orders authorizing the delivery of single Lots, or of a different number of Lots or Chests, whether more or less than the number of Lots or Chests originally required to be included in each Certificate or Order.

10. No Sub-Treasurer's Receipts or Deposit of Public Securities under the fifth of the present Conditions, will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the Purchaser in the Sale Book, or his authorized Agent. The Receipt for such Deposit will be granted only in the name of such Purchaser, and the Public Security deposited will be returned when the clearance has been made by the said Purchaser or his order.

11. The Officer Superintending the Sale on the part of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, is empowered to reject at his discretion the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand tender at the time a Deposit either in Bank of Bengal Notes, Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, or other Government Securities equal to One Thousand Rupees per Lot (or Two Hundred Rupees per Chest), on each Lot so bid for.

12. The Purchaser of any Lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession any number of Lots of the same Agency Opium to the extent of Fifty Lots; and for the Lots so purchased, the Purchaser shall deposit 1,000 Rupees per Lot, and pay the same price per Chest as that for which he purchased his first Lot, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of Lots of that Opium to complete the said Fifty, but not otherwise.

13. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter, or question arising out of the Sale of the Opium included in this Notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall, and may be tried and decided in the Supreme Court of Judicature at Calcutta in Bengal, and all and every Plea and Pleas within the jurisdiction of the said Supreme Court shall be waived.

14. The following Papers, together with Samples of the Opium for Sale, will be exhibited for inspection on the day of Sale, or may be seen previously to that date, by application at the Office of the Secretary to the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium.

No. 1. Certificate of the Opium now advertised for Sale.

No. 2. Report of the examination of such Opium.

15. The Public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1839-40, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the Drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the Drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a Statement of the average weight of Big Chests from each dispatch at Calcutta, may be seen on application at the Office of the Secretary to the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium.

16. Four Chests of Behar and Benares Opium which have been reserved from the proportion of the two preceding years, will be also shown to the Purchasers on

the day of Sale to enable them to judge of the state of preservation in which the Drug has kept.

17. The Public are hereby informed that in addition to the quantity above-mentioned the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale this year on or about the dates specified below.

	Total
	Behar, Benares, Chests.
On or about Feby. 6th, about 1,400 700 about 2,100	2,100
On or about April 24th, about 3,000 1,500 about 4,500	4,500
On or about May 24th, about 1,400 700 about 2,100	2,100
On or about June 28th, about 2,800 1,200 about 4,200	4,200
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	8,640 4,189 — 12,829

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 8th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March 1813, quoted below, the Agents in India of His Majesty the King of the French, or Persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantity of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for Sale—at the five Sales in the months of January, February, April, May and June, there shall be delivered to them at the average of the particular Sale or Sales to which the Opium is applied for, may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 Chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition for the whole of the Opium required by them during the year within 30 days after the publication of this Advertisement, specifying the particular Sale or Sales from which the quantity of Opium is intended to be taken. If the Agents of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time aforesaid, the entire quantity of about 12,829 Chests of Behar and Benares Opium as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner, and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertised for sale at each or any of the five Sales aforesaid, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Governor of Bengal reserves to himself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the Sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a Sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

ARTICLE.

6. "With regard to the Article of the Convention above referred to, "between the high contracting parties that in each of the periodical Sales of that Article there shall be reserved for the French Government and delivered upon requisition duty made by the Agents of His Most Christian Majesty, or by the Persons duly appointed by them, the number of Chests as applied for, provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred Chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical Sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christian Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred Chests herein before mentioned—the requisition for Opium as aforesaid are to be addressed to the Governor General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended Sales shall have been published in the Government Gazette."

By Order of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium,

W. BRAGG, Off. Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that with the sanction of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, Tenders will be received in this Office, on or before the 21st instant, at 12 o'clock, for the purchase of One Hl. 800 of Cuttack Pungah Salt of 1842, to be sold in quantities of one hhl. and lots of 250 maunds each. In satisfaction of Golah rent due, should the owners not previously appear and pay up the rent now due on their goods.

Intending purchasers are to satisfy themselves by personal inspection of the article at the Government Golah at Sultia,—the Salt to be paid for and taken away within one week, after the tender, shall have been accepted by the Superintendent of the Salt Golah.

X. BOWRING,

Off. Secretary to the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium.

NOTICE of Public Sale for Arrears of Revenue, under Extraordinary Resolution of the Collector's Office, Zillah Moorshedabad, on Tuesday, the 14th December 1840, or 1st Purn 1841, B. S.

Names of Mahals to be sold, and of the Pergunnah in which they are situated, and number of the Lot in the Collector's Sale Advertisements.	Recorded Proprietors.	Annual Sudder Takhsish.	Arrears of Revenue, including Interest up to Sept. 1840.	Remarks.
1. Ph. Coomwarpeetaub,.....	Raja Kishen Chand Singh, &c.,.....	100017 9 0	100017 9 0	This Land produces Indigo, Mallow, Peas, and other Crops.
2. Hooda Boroos, &c.	Ditto,	100028 9 0	100028 9 11	Ditto.
3. Kist. Ph. Caussepoor,.....	Deengarshah, &c.,.....	60016 12 3	1944 4 10	Ditto.
The abovementioned Estates are still under Buttarr.				
1. Kist. Ph. Roonpoor,.....	Seetanath Sandal,	500702 12 12	100016 9 17	Ditto.
2. Hooda Sekhalepoor,.....	Dook Dely, &c.,.....	50046 11 4	854 11 7	Ditto.
3. Hooda Purooratumbauty,.....	Shibparain Ghose,	50065 2 0	2167 4 11	Ditto.
4. Hooda Paithabauty,.....	Meah Murjan, &c.,.....	11506 4 0	1200 9 8	Ditto.
5. Dihes Gaukhar Charkha,.....	Brindabunshahre Ta- kang Seva, Bijo- bind, &c.,.....	100012 10	2846 5 4	Ditto.
6. Kist. Ph. Dyanpoor,.....	Basse Oullah Chowdhury, &c.,.....	5000 12 0	1010 0 0	Other.
7. Turf Mooneesh Dhee,	Mohis Chander, &c.,.....	22912 4 0	1005 0 0	Ditto.
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* The right and interest of Ramee Unapoorchab will be sold.

Moorshedabad, Collector's Office, the 30th November, 1840.

PIERRE TAYLOR, Collector.

NOTICE.

THE Effects of the late Captain J. S. Dwyer, of the Invalid Establishment, are under the Seal of this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally authorized to receive the same.

G. MACAULAY, Judge.

Zillah Sakarupoor, Judge's Office,
the 1st December, 1840.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Sundry Effects belonging to the late Raj Krishna Day, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, stationed at Delhi, who died on 27th September, 1840, are under the Seal of this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally authorized to receive the same.

C. LINDELL, Judge.

DELHI TERRITORY, J. S.
Judge's Office,
The 1st December, 1840.

WANTED a Treasurer in the Office of the Collector of Dacca, salary per month Rs. 300/-, with unexceptional security to the value of Rs. 20,000/- will be required.

R. M. SKINNER,

Zillah Dacca Collectorate,
the 2d Dec. 1840.

NOTICE.

IT is particularly requested that all letters of the Collector of Behar may be addressed to him at Gaya, as since the Establishment of a District Post Office at Behar, distant letters from Gaya, great delay is experienced in the receipt of letters in the Collectorate of Behar.

C. HAMILTON, Collector of Zillah Behar.

Behar Collectorate, Gaya,
the 3d December, 1840.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. Alexander Ross, in our Firm, ceased from the 1st August 1840.

Mr. Robert John Drago is admitted a Partner in our Firm from the 1st September 1840.

HAMILTON & CO.
142 Diwani, 1840.

BENGAL MILITARY FUND.

In consequence of the 20th and 27th Articles of the Regulations, a General Meeting of the Subscribers of the Military Fund, will be held in the Military Fund Office, on Wednesday, Aug. 27th, 1840, at 10 o'Clock in the forenoon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the inspection and approval of Accounts of the Fund, and of the proceedings of the Directors of the past year.

After the disposal of the above business, the Meeting will be declared special for the consideration, under Article 26, of the recent Regulation, from 33 Subscribers at Meerut, as admitted to the Army in the Division from the Directors, No. 457 of the 15th September 1840.

J. W. J. GUSSELY, President,
Fort William, Military Fund Office, J. W. J. GUSSELY, President,
15th October, 1840.

LOSS.

Calcutta on the 23d April, 1840.

ADVERTISING of the PROMPTORY.

NOTE No. 1899 of 1840 will be paid for Rs. 1,000/- the property of George D'Costa and Company, Calcutta, as follows:

1. D'Costa is hereby given that a copy of Note No. 1899 of 1840, for Rs. 1,000/- has been deposited in his hands on the 16th day of July 1840, the property of George D'Costa and Company, Calcutta.

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East India Army Agency,
16, CORNHILL, AND 8, ST. MARTIN'S PLACE,
CHARING CROSS.

Meers. GRINDLAY, CHRISTIAN, & MATTHEWS.
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Under One Ounce, double ditto 2s. Od.
The Enclosures would then be forwarded by Meers. G. and CO. to their respective destinations.

Subscribers absent from England have the privilege of naming a Proxy, to avail himself of the resources of the *East India Rooms*, in London.

And it is requested that a Letter of full Instruction be addressed to Meers. G. and CO.

WITH the sanction of Government, the following Advertisement is published for general information. By Order of the General Management,

JOHN McQUEEN,
Secty. M. O. S.

Orphan Society's Office, Kidderpore, }
5th March, 1839.

ADVERTISEMENT.

It being understood that Public Officers, in ignorance of the existence and nature of the Orphan Press Contract with Government, occasionally employ other Presses to the prejudice of the Orphan Institution, the General Manager now demands representation to publish, for general information, the following extract of a Letter from Mr. Secretary Princep, showing that the Orphan Press has the exclusive privilege of Printing for Government.

"I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, and to reply to state that it is by no means the intention of the Government to withdraw any part of its printing business from the Orphan School Establishment, or to allow Public Officers to give a preference to other Presses. On the contrary, the Vice President in Council has declared his readiness to enquire into every case in which other Establishments may be employed, on the prejudices of the interests of the Orphan School, whenever such may fall under his notice or be made the subject of representation.

(Signed) H. T. PRINCEP,
Secty. to Government Genl. Dept.
Council Chamber, the 7th August, 1839."

Books just Published,

And for Sale at the Bengal Military Orphan Press,
Calcutta.

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FOR THE

Instruction of Communicants in the nature and uses of the Sacrament of our Lord's Supper, and in the Doctrines and Duties connected with that Ordinance. To which is added, a Sacramental Address.

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SUPPLEMENT TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

Published by Authority.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1840.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE
THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA
IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 16th December, 1840.

No. 269 of 1840.—His Excellency the Commander in Chief having laid before Government a letter from Major General Sir Willoughby Cotton, G. C. B. and K. C. B., Commanding in Afghanistan, transmitting Medical Certificates, and soliciting permission to resign his Command for the purpose of returning to Europe, for the recovery of his health, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, while he much regrets the retirement of an Officer who has rendered such valuable services to the State, and deeply laments its cause, nevertheless deems it due to the Major General, in consideration of the seriously impeded state of his health, to comply with his solicitation.

The Governor General of India in Council has great satisfaction in expressing the high sense entertained by Government of the ability displayed by Sir W. Cotton in exercising during a period of great difficulty the important Command for which he was selected, and their acknowledgment of the judgment, discretion and vigilance, with which he directed the distribution, and consulted the well-being of the troops under his Command.

Duly appreciating the feeling which induced the Major General, notwithstanding the precarious state of his health, to remain at his post, while he deemed his presence necessary,

the Governor General of India in Council congratulates Sir W. Cotton, on having before relinquishing his Command, succeeded in surmounting the principal Military difficulties of the task imposed on him.

J. STUART, Lieut.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mil. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 16th December, 1840.

No. 270 of 1840.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to appoint Major General W. K. Elphinstone, C. B., Commanding the Meerut Division, in the Command of the Troops in Afghanistan, in succession to Major General Sir W. Cotton, G. C. B. and K. C. B., who has intimated his desire to return to Europe, for the recovery of his health.

J. STUART, Lieut.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mil. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 16th December, 1840.

No. 272 of 1840.—Assistant Surgeon J. McDonald, Deputy Apothecary, is appointed to the charge of the Hon'ble Company's Dispensary, during the absence, on deputation, of Surgeon Grant, or until further Order; and Assistant Surgeon J. I. Mount, M. D., will officiate for Mr. McDonald.

J. STUART, Lieut.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mil. Dept.



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It is requested that Government Notifications for the Calcutta Gazette, of any length, may be sent to the Press before Noon of Friday, and those of a few lines only before 5 P. M. of that day.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1840.

FORT WILLIAM,
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The following Act passed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council on the 7th of December 1840, is hereby promulgated for general information.

Act No. XXIV. of 1840.

For amending the Law with respect to rates for Municipal purposes within the Town of Calcutta.

I. Whereas it is expedient to specify the particular purposes to which rates assessed on houses, buildings and grounds in Calcutta shall be applied; and abolish the practice which has hitherto prevailed, of levying five per cent on the annual value of all houses, buildings and grounds, without reference to the amount necessary for accomplishing the purposes of the rates; such per-cent being inadequate for the purposes to which the rates have hitherto been deemed applicable. And whereas it is expedient to make the per-cent leviable by quarterly rates on the annual value of property to depend entirely on the expenditure necessary for accomplishing, in an efficient manner, the purposes to which the rates shall henceforth be applicable, and providing for all incidental expenses and casual deficiencies or defaults. And whereas it is expedient to subject the collection and administration of the funds raised for Municipal purposes in the various districts of the Town to the management of the rate-payers themselves within such districts respectively, whenever they are desirous of undertaking the same, and are willing to enter into proper arrangements for the purpose. And whereas it is expedient to modify the provisions of the Statute 33 Geo. 3, Cap. 52, in regard to assessments for the Town of Calcutta in order for the better collection of the same, reserving all the authority of such Statute in matters not inconsistent with this Act;—

It is hereby enacted, that the assessments which by the Statute 33 Geo. 3, Ch. 52 are authorized to be made for the Town of Calcutta, shall be applicable to the following purposes only—viz. lighting, and watering the roads and streets, and cleansing and repairing the same and the drains of the said Town.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that the assessments and rates made under the authority of the said Statute shall be sufficient for accomplishing, in an efficient manner, the purposes mentioned in the last Section, for discharging all incidental expenses, and for making up deficiencies and defaults of every kind whatsoever. Provided always that no rate shall be made exceeding the amount of five per cent on the annual value of property without the sanction of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

III. And it is hereby enacted, for the encouragement of the control and supervision of the assessment and collection of the rates and the management thereof within particular divisions being undertaken, by the

rate-payers themselves—the Justices at their Quarter Sessions shall publish quarterly the particulars of all sums laid out, and of all the expences of collection and deficiencies during the preceding quarter within the following divisions of the Town, or such other divisions as the Governor of Fort William in Bengal may from time to time direct, so long as the assessment, collection or management of the rates for such divisions shall remain under their jurisdiction, viz. the

1st or Upper North Division, bounded as follows:

North—by the Mahratta Ditch.

South—by the Matchewa Bazar Road and Cotton Street to Meerburgh's Ghaut.

East—by the Circular Road.

West—by the River Hoogly.

2d or Lower North Division, bounded as follows:

North—by Matchewa Bazar Road and Cotton Street, to Meerburgh's Ghaut.

South—by the Boltakhanna and Bow Bazar Road, and Hare Street, to Police Ghaut.

East—by the Circular Road.

West—by the River Hoogly.

3d or Upper South Division, bounded as follows:

North—Boltakhanna, Bow Bazar Road and Hare Street, to Police Ghaut.

South—Barruntollah Street and Esplanade Row, to Chandpaul Ghaut.

East—Circular Road.

West—River Hoogly.

4th or Lower South Division, bounded as follows:

North—by the Durruntollah Street and Esplanade Row, to Chandpaul Ghaut.

South—by the Lower Circular Road to Kidderpore Bridge and Tolly's Nullah, to River Hoogly, including the Fort and Cooty Bazar.

East—by the Circular Road.

West—by the River Hoogly.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, whenever two-thirds in number and value of the rate-payers of any of such respective divisions shall apply to the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to undertake themselves the assessment, collection and management of the rates of such division, or any or either of these trusts, it shall be lawful for the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to authorise the same accordingly, at his discretion; provided always that such majority of rate-payers shall present a scheme which shall obtain his full approbation for the safe and efficient execution of the trusts, the transfer of which from the present authorities is sought for. Provided always that in any such arrangement, the amount to be levied in any particular division shall not be considered as necessarily limited by the amount expended within such division, but shall be adjusted by the Governor of Fort William in Bengal upon reference to all local circumstances.

V. And it is hereby enacted, that for the better assessment and collection of rates under this Act, it shall be lawful for the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, to appoint such Auditor or Assessors, Collector or Collector, and to make such union of the offices of

Assessor and Collector, and to prescribe such rules and take such securities for the due execution of this Act by the person or persons employed in assessments and collections and in the management of the rates collected as he shall deem expedient.

VI. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall not be necessary in any Assessment rate or Warrant of Distress under this Act to specify the names of the owners or occupiers of houses, buildings and grounds; but it shall be sufficient if every property rated be identified, and, in the case of houses numbered in any street, that the name of the street and number of the house rated be particularly specified.

VII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Goods and Chattels of the owner of any property rated shall be seizable anywhere (except where property is concealed as hereinbefore mentioned) for deficiency in the payment of rates. And that all property which shall be found upon any premises rated, shall be seizable for any arrears which may be due for a period of one year immediately preceding such seizure. And in the case of the seizure of the property of a tenant under such circumstances, he may deduct the amount of the levy from the next payment of his rent.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that where there is ground to suspect that property liable to distress under this Act is concealed in any Zenana, the Officer charged with the execution of the Warrant shall make a special report to the Justice granting the same, who shall thereupon follow, as closely as is practicable, the rules for the seizure of property in like cases adopted by Her Majesty's Supreme Court.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
SECRET DEPARTMENT,
THE 14TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Brigadier T. J. Anquetil has been this day appointed to the Command of His Majesty Shah Shooja's Force, vice Brigadier Roberts, C. B.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 14TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Major J. R. Ouseley, the Agent to the Governor General South West Frontier, has obtained one month's leave of absence from the 20th January next, to proceed to the Presidency, on urgent private affairs.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor of Bengal.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1626.

FORT WILLIAM,
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 14TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Lieutenant S. R. Tickell, Assistant to the Resident at Nagpur, has obtained leave of absence, on private affairs, from the 13th instant to 1st March 1841.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1640.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT,
FORT WILLIAM,
THE 14TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Corporal Alfred Harris, of the 1st Regiment Bengal Light Cavalry, and Lieutenant H. L. Evans, of the 17th Regiment Bombay Native Infantry, have been appointed to officiate respectively as 1st and 2d Assistants to the Resident at Indore, as a temporary arrangement.

T. H. MADDOCK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 23D NOVEMBER, 1840.

Notice is hereby given, that the rate at which advances will be made, under authority of the Board of Customs, Salt and Opium, of Cash to Merchants on Bills of Exchange in favor of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, secured by the consignment of Goods, will, until further orders, be 2*l.* and 2*d.* the Company's Rupee. In all other respects the Terms and Conditions of these advances will be the same as advertised under date the 2d May, 1838, 27th November, 1839, and 4th March, 1840.

Published by order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal,

G. A. BUSHBY.

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 204.

FORT WILLIAM,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 16TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. W. Roberts, a Student of the College of Fort William, reported his return to the Presidency on the 13th instant.

G. A. BUSHBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 211.

FORT WILLIAM,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 16TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to re-attach Messrs. W. H. Martin and T. C. Scott, of the Civil Service, to the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William.

G. A. BUSHBY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(No. 1682.)

ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to make the following Appointments:

THE 8TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. W. S. R. Davies and Abdool Dyan Khan Rehadoor to be Deputy Collectors under Regulation IX. of 1833, in the Southern Division of Cuttack (Poores.)

THE 15TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. A. Littledale to exercise the powers of Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Moorshedabad. This appointment will not interfere with the leave of absence granted to him on the 10th ultimo.

The following Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Stations:

Mr. B. Goiding, Civil and Sessions Judge of Backergunge, for one month, from the 1st proximo, under Section 18 of the Rule of the 29th January 1840, preparatory to proceeding to Europe on Furlough. Mr. W. N. Garrett will officiate, until further orders, as Civil and Sessions Judge of Backergunge.

Moulvi Kumber Ali, Officiating Principal Sudder Ameen of Midnapore, from the 1st October last until the opening of the Courts after the Dusserah Vacation.

Moulvi Fyzee Oollah, Law Officer of the Court of Birbhum, for two months, in extension, under Medical Certificate.

Baboo Tarnes Churn Banerjee, Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833 in Jessore, for fifteen days, from the 27th ultimo, in further extension, under Medical Certificate.

Baboo Nobichunder Ghosal, ditto ditto under ditto in Dacca, for one month, in extension, under Medical Certificate.

Baboo Obiye Churn Mullaik, ditto ditto under ditto in the 24-Pergunnah, for two months, under Medical Certificate.

The leave of absence granted on the 12th of October last, to Mr. R. Hampton, Special Deputy Collector of Rajahmundry, &c. for six weeks, has been commuted from "on private affairs" to "under Medical Certificate".

The leave of absence granted on the 3d ultimo, to Captain James Wemyss, Principal Assistant to the Commissioner of Assam at Kamrup, has been cancelled from the 11th instant, the date on which he resumed charge of his Office.

FRED. JAS. HALLIDAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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No. 407.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES.
GENERAL DEPARTMENT,
AGRA,

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
THE 1ST DECEMBER, 1840.

The Hon'ble the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to make the following Appointments:

Mr. William James Connelly to officiate as Commissioner of the Rohilkhand Division, on Mr. Robinson vacating the appointment for the purpose of proceeding on Furlough.

Mr. George Frederick Hearsey to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Seharunpoor.

Mr. George Blunt to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Allyghur.

Mr. William Richard Kennaway to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Moradabad.

Mr. Colin Mackenzie to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Mynpoory. Mr. Mackenzie to continue to officiate as Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Allyghur, till further orders.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. A. Vans Dunlop, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Jumpoor, has obtained leave of absence to the 1st November 1841, on Medical Certificate, in extension of the leave granted him in Orders of the 20th January last.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Mr. J. Maherly to be Special Deputy Collector at Meerut, for the investigation of claims to hold lands rent free, in the room of Mr. J. Muir.

The remaining portion of the leave of absence granted to Mr. G. Blunt, Officiating Collector of Moradabad, on the 12th September last, is cancelled from the 11th ultimo, the date on which Mr. Blunt received charge of his Office.

SEPARATE DEPARTMENT.

Leave of absence, for one month, is granted to Mr. G. H. Smith, Collector of Customs at Delhi, from the 15th instant.

JUDICIAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
THE 3D DECEMBER, 1840.

Mr. William DeHague Routh is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mysore.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. James Mercer, Principal Suder Ameen of Furrekhabad, is appointed to conduct the current duties of the Judge's Office at Mysore, from the date of the demise of the late Mr. Kinlock, till the arrival of Mr. C. F. Thompson, the Officiating Judge.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

4TH DECEMBER, 1840.

The Hon'ble the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to appoint Messrs. W. Weynard, E. M. Wally and J. K. Barnes to exercise the powers specified in Sections 2 and 8, Regulation IX. of 1826 in the Province of Benares.

ECCLÉSIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 7TH DECEMBER, 1840.

Reverend J. Y. Becker is appointed to be Chaplain of Meerut.

Reverend H. Loveday ditto ditto of Delhi.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Colin Mackenzie to officiate as Additional Sessions Judge of Bundelkhand.

J. THOMASON,
Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE
THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA
IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 10th December, 1840.

No. 264 of 1840.—The undermentioned Gentlemen are admitted to the Service, in conformity with their appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as Cadets of Artillery and Infantry on this Establishment, and promoted to the rank of 2nd Lieutenant and Ensign, respectively; leaving the dates of their Commissions for future adjustment:

<i>Artillery.</i>	<i>Date of arrival at Fort William.</i>
Mr. Charles Aphor Wheelwright,	12th Decr. 1840.

Infantry.

Mr. Frederick Wale,	12th Decr. 1840.
„ Robert Vincent,	„
„ Robert Graham Mayne,	„

The following Officers have returned to their duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors:

<i>Date of arrival at Fort William.</i>

Major Charles Hamilton, of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry,	12th Decr. 1840.
Captain Bruce Boswell, of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry,	„

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough:

Colonel Duncan McLeod, of the Corps of Engineers,	On account of private affairs.
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Lieutenant Colonel John Bennett Hearsey, of the 9th Regiment Light Cavalry,	On account of health.
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Lieutenant William Young, of the 98th Regiment Native Infantry, Assistant to the Political Agent in Upper Scinde,	On account of health.
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Surgeon Richard Langton, of the Medical Department, having been declared incapable of performing the active duties of his profession, is, at his own request, transferred to the Invalid Establishment.

Quarter Master Serjeant Robert Rose, of the 11th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the benefits of the Pension sanctioned by Minutes of Council of the 11th January 1797, and General Orders dated 5th February 1820, subject to the confirmation of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, with permission to receive his Siende at Chunar.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mly. Dept.

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FORT WILLIAM, 10th December, 1840.

No. 265 of 1840.—Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Oliver, of the 12th Regiment Native Infantry, is temporarily appointed a Brigadier of the 2nd Class, from the 29th ultimo,—the date on which the Troops, to the Command of which he stands appointed, formed a junction at Segowlee.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mly. Dept.

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FORT WILLIAM, 10th December, 1840.

No. 266 of 1840.—Lieutenant William Oliver Young, of the Regiment of Artillery, is promoted to the rank Captain by Brevet, from the 16th December, 1840.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough:

Colonel John Anthony Hodges, of the 14th Regiment Native Infantry,	On account of private affairs.
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Lieut. Jas. Scott Phillips, of the Regiment of Artillery, Revd. Mr. Surveyor, Tipperah,	On account of health.
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J. STUART, Lt.-Col.

Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mly. Dept.

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FORT WILLIAM, 10th December, 1840.

No. 267 of 1840.—Lieutenant George Verner, of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry, Adjutant Syhet

Light Infantry Battalion, was appointed in the Political Department, on the 7th instant, to officiate as Assistant to the Political Agent Cossayah Hills, during the absence of Mr. Henry Ingalls on leave.

Captain George Ellis, of Artillery, Revenue Surveyor in Assam, obtained in the Judicial and Revenue Department, under date the 1st instant, leave of absence for four months, from the 1st ultimo, on Medical Certificate.

Lieutenant Rowley Hill, of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, 2d in Command 1st Cavalry Oudo Auxiliary Force, was appointed in the Political Department, under date the 7th instant, to officiate as Brigade Major of that Force, until further orders.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Milt. Dept.

FORT WILLIAM, 16th December, 1840.

No. 268 of 1840.—Lieutenant Ernest Charles Francis Beaumont, of the 32d Regiment N. I., is permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope, on Medical Certificate, and to be absent from Bengal on that account for two years.

J. STUART, Lt.-Col.
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Milt. Dept.

CUSTOMS.

List of Packages lying unclaimed at this Office.

1 Box, Wm. Spokes, 1st European Regt. 4th Company, per Roberts.
1 Parcel, Capt. Digby, per Brothers.
1 Case, no mark, per Bland.
1 Ditto, marked F S, per Bengal Packet.
1 Box, ditto A in diamond, per Water Witch.
1 Ditto, ditto B in diamond, per ditto.
1 Parcel, Jas. Swan, Governor's Clerk, per Reliance.
1 Ditto, J. Poate, care of Mr. Bastard, per ditto.
1 Ditto, Captain D. Mackenzie, Ship Tamerlane, per Careina.
1 Ditto, C. H. Dickens, Bengal Artillery, per Bleanora.
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1 Trunk, marked B B, 219 to 233, per Royal William.
8 Cases, ditto C T in diamond, per David Scott.
2 Casks, ditto C in diamond, per Forth.
1 Box, ditto L B 5, per Hereford.
1 Ditto, ditto A McG Q in diamond, per Constellation.
1 Case, Col. Shelton, per Seringapatam.
1 Ditto, Lieutenant and Adjutant Lomer, care of Colvin and Co., per Mandarone.
1 Box, A. Griffin, care of Rustomjee Cowasjee, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Finlay, Mackenzie and Co., per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Mrs. Captain Grillin, care of Lyall and Co., per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Captain G. Templer, 22d B. N. Infantry, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, G. F. Hodgkinson, per Jessie Logan.
1 Ditto, Ensign H. J. Guise, 28th Regt. N. I., per Eleanor.
1 Ditto, C. J. Baldwin, Ordnance Department, per Carnatic.
1 Ditto, Lt. Col. Booth, 41st Regt., per Eliza.
1 Ditto, Lt. Col. R. Powney, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Ensign J. M. Swinton, care of Cockerell and Co., per Ditto.
1 Parcel, Jas. Pattle, per Earl of Hardwick.
1 Ditto, M. R. Gubbins, care of Colville, Gilmore, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Thea. Wetherhead, care of Macleod, Fagan, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Artillery Book Club, care of Mackenzie, Lyall, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Revd. J. McQueen, M. O. Society, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Tulloh and Co., per Ditto.
2 Ditto, Lt. Col. J. Stewart, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Lt. Col. Klug, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, G. F. Hodgkinson, per Ditto.
2 Ditto, Revd. H. S. Fisher, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, H. V. Bayley, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Revd. G. Gagerly, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Hon'ble Sir J. Grant, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Thos. Reed, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Revd. T. Boaz, per Ditto.

1 Ditto, R. Smith, Military Board Office, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, B. Rose, per Earl of Hardwick.
1 Ditto, E. Creton, Spence's Hotel, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, J. Hawkins, care of Major Henderson, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, G. F. Raily, care of B. Smith and Co., per Ditto.
2 Ditto, Hon'ble G. Osborne, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, Edr. of the Agra Ukar, per Ditto.
2 Packages, Mrs. Thomas, Hastings St., per Sylph.
1 Ditto, Capt. R. J. Alcock, care of Allan, Paton, per Ditto.
1 Box, Hon'ble W. G. Osborne, per Ditto.
1 Ditto, H. Bagly, Medical Dept., per Ditto.
1 Case, W. Cunningham, care of Colville, Gilmore, per Chetekie.
Loose Hhds and Butt Staves, per Adams.

R. WALKER, Collr. of Customs.

18th December, 1840.

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The Collector has nothing to do with the landing of Packages from Ships, nor with forwarding them to their owners or destinations.

Name of Vessel.	Agents.	Intended Departure.	To what Port.	Touching at.	Remarks.
Caledonia, Essex,	Ferguson, Brothers and Co., Allan, Paton and Co.,	19th December, 1840. 29th Ditto,	Liverpool, Coal St,	Cape of Good Hope, Rangoon.
Elizabeth, Monrovia, Liverpool, Success,	J. and J. Arther, Ferguson, Brothers and Co., Cockerell and Co.,	Ditto, 22d Ditto, 24th Ditto, 25th Ditto,	Madras, Liverpool, M.iam,ia, London, Ditto,	Cape of Good Hope, Ditto.
Carnatic, Seringapatam,	Allen, Paton and Co., Boyd and Co.,	21 January, 1841. Ditto,	Ditto,	W. MOORE, Deputy Post Master.
	Allan, Paton and Co.,				

Packet for the reception of Letters by the following Ships are open at this Office.

Calcutta, General Post Office, the 18th December, 1840.